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From the First Emigrant to this Country Down to the
Present Time as Far as Could be Ascertained.

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PREFACE

A small book was written of the descendents of Samuel Hess who emigrated in 1712 from Switzerland, Europe to this country, down to 1880. But as it is not fully satisfactory to the descendents of the Hess daughters so by request of some of the friends of his (Samuel's) descendents the original has been revised and enlarged with the help of the good Lord and the aid of friends. Care was taken to gather reliable information and any of a doubtful nature was excluded. Errors will no doubt be found which we trust will be excused. They are due chiefly to incorrect information sent into the author. Hoping all honor will be given to the Lord the Genealogy is now respectfully submitted to the public.

John H. Hess

Lititz, Lancaster County, P
1896.

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Everything has its time. One generation passeth away and another generation cometh.

The days of our years are three score years and ten; and by reason of strength they be four score, yet is their strength labor and sorrow, for it is soon cut off and we fly away. Ps. 90:10.

As for man his days are as grass: as a flower of the field so he flourisheth. For the wind passeth over it and it is gone and the place thereof shall know it no more. But the mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear Him, and His righteousness unto children's children; to such as keep his covenant and to those that remember his commandments to do them. Ps. 103:15-18.

GENEALOGY

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In the year 1712 a Swiss colony came to America and among them was Samuel Hess. The same settled at Pequea, Pa. He was the first Hess of our generation in America. In 1734 one of his sons namely Jacob, of the second generation took up a tract of 200 acres of land, one mile east of Lititz, now called Warwick Township, Lancaster County, Pa. One part of it is now occupied by Rev. Jonas H. Hess. The same Jacob Hess had a son by the name of John of the third generation; he lived on the old home place with father Jacob. He died in 1778 and was interred in the graveyard, situated on the old home. He had two sons and eight daughters. The sons were named CHRISTIAN AND JOHN: The following sisters comprise the 4th. generation:

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One daughter was married to John Brubaker. They moved to Juniata Co. Pa., where they resided with their family.

Another was married to Daniel Brubaker and resided in the vicinity now called Schoeneck, Pa.

The third was married to Rev. Peter Eby. They resided at Pequea, Pa., near Hess' Mill.

The fourth was married to Jacob Metzler. They lived near what we call Metzler's Meeting House in Earl Township.

The fifth was married to Daniel Burkholder. They lived near Lititz on a part of the two hundred acres now being occupied by Andrew Bruckart.

The sixth was married to David Martin, who moved to Cumberland Co., Pa., where they lived with their family.

The seventh was married to Henry Hess and resided in the vicinity of Lancaster, Pa., where she died at an early age.

The eighth was married to a Huber whose first name was Abraham to the best my knowledge.

They lived north of Lititz where he died. He was the father of Jacob Huber who lived south of Lancaster and grandfather of Ephriam Hoover near Lancaster.

They had with few exceptions, large families. We will now speak of the sons and their generations.

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CHRISTIAN HESS, the first son of John Hess, one of the

fourth generation, was born in 1766. In 1785 he married Miss Snavely. They had three sons and three daughters. The sons were named John, Christian and Jacob.

Christian, the second son was born December 29, 1787. He was elected County Commissioner in 1851. He resided at Pequea with his wife, Elizabeth, whose maiden name was Wenger. She was born May 16, 1790. She died May 27, 1870, at the ripe age of eighty years and eleven days. Christian died September 26, 1857, aged Sixty-nine years, eight months and eleven days.

This ends the record of Christian's generation. We shall now give a short account of the second son John and his generation.

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Rev. John Hess, second son of John, of the fourth generation, was born November 9, 1768 and in 1788 married Esther daughter of Christian Hershey, near the Borough of Manheim. His wife was born September 14, 1769. They resided at the old Hess' home place and had four sons and six daughters. Said John was ordained in the year 1800 as a minister of the gospel in the Old Mennonite Church. His first wife died November 12, 1824, aged 55 years, one month and 28 days. She was the mother of four sons and six daughters. On August 13, 1826 he married his second wife, Mrs. Fanny Secrist, maiden name Herr, of West Lampeter Township. He died November, 27, 1830, at the age of 62 years and 18 days. They were interred in the graveyard on the old Hess home. His widow moved to the village of Smoketown, where she died March 1845 at the age of 79 years, one month. The Children are named Christian see page 5, John, see page 74, Henry, see page 112, Susanna married Joseph Eberly, see page 159. Esther Hess, born July 24, 1798, died aged 16 years. Annie married Christian Oberholtzer, page 175, Barabara Hess, born March 28, 1803, died aged 8 years; Martha married Samuel Oberholtzer, Page 182. Elizabeth married John Risser, page 205. Samuel Hess born 1810 and died aged one.

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Christian Hess, the first son of Rev. John and Esther (Hershey) Hess, of the 5th. generation was born October 11, 1789. His wife Barbara Huber, daughter of Abraham Huber, of Warwick Township, was born September 12, 1791. They were married in 1811 and resided near Rothsville, Warwick Township

he died August 3, 1855, aged 65 years, 9 months and 22 days.
he died April 5, 1848, aged 56 years, 7 months and 3 days.
They are buried in the graveyard on their own land near the
Rothsville schoolhouse. They had 5 sons and 6 daughters, namely;

Samuel, Page 6
Abram, Page 16
John, Page 32
Annie, Page 45
Catharine, Page 51
Christ, Page 39
Joseph, Page 41
Fanny, Page 60
Barbara, Page 66
Martha, Page 68
Elizabeth, Page 71

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Samuel Hess, the first son of Christian and Barbara (Huber)
Hess, of the sixth generation was born February 24, 1812. His
wife Catherine S. Hess, daughter of Jacob Metzler, of West
Carl Township was born on August 4, 1826. They were married
in 1814. They resided at first in Warwick Township, near Roth-
ville, adjoining his father's farm; they afterwards moved west
to Stark Co., Ohio, and lived there 13 years; they then moved
to Warwick Township, Lancaster Co., Pa., near Kissel Hill,
where he died February 23, 1871, aged 58 years, 11 months
and 29 days. His widow died July 31, 1883, aged 56 years,
11 months and 26 days. Their union was blessed with 7 sons
and 4 daughters, namely;

Barbara M., Page 13
Jacob M., Page 7
Samuel M., Page 8

Christian M., Page 7
Annie M., Page 15
John M., Page 10
Emanuel M., Page 11
Mary M. Born May 26, 1858, unmarried
Henry M., Page 11
Benjamin M., Page 12
Amanda M., born October 7, 1867, died aged 1 year
7 months.

The dead of this family are all interred at Hess' cemetery.

Jacob M. Hess, first son of Samuel and Catherine (Metzler) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born September 16, 1843, married October 23, 1873, Ada E. daughter of Ephraim and Lydia Pfautz, of Denver, Pa. She was born April 4, 1854. Their union was blessed with 2 sons and 2 daughters.

An infant son, born April 7, 1877.

Gertrude E., born May 27, 1878

Lida P., born November 20, 1881

Ephraim Roy, born December 4, 1887

Christian M. Hess, second son of Samuel and Catharine (Metzler) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born June 26, 1847, married in 1867 Maggie, daughter of David Landis who lived north of Neffsville, Pa. She was born February 27, 1848. They are residing north of Neffsville, Pa. and have no Children.

Samuel M. Hess, third son of Samuel and Catharine (Metzler) Hess of the seventh generation was born February 15, 1850 married September 29, 1870, Mary D. daughter of Jacob and Priscilla (Dillman) Brubaker of Clay, Clay Township. She was born February 15, 1850 and died June 4, 1883, aged 33 years 3 months and 19 days, at Neffsville and was interred at the Landis-Valley meeting house. She was the mother of 3 sons and 3 Daughters.

Clara B., born March 30, 1872

Ida B., Page 9

Monroe B., born May 18, 1876

Emma B., born April 14, 1878

Dillman B., born October 5, 1881

Samuel B., born March 20, died August 21, aged 5 months and 1 day.

On April 29, 1884, he married his second wife, Miss Jearnette A., daughter of Asa S. Stevens, of Three Springs, Huntingdon County, Pa. She was born July 28, 1859. They are now residing at Lancaster city, corner of Locust and Shippen Streets. The children of the second marriage are:

Amanda Estella, born March 12, 1885

Mabel L., born April 17, 1887

Thaddeus Stevens, born July 17, 1890

Robert S., born June 2, 1892

Frank J., born January 9, 1895

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Ida B. Hess, second daughter of Samuel M. and Mary C. (Brubaker) Hess, was born January 21, 1874, married November 26, 1891, Linnaeus, son of Reuben and Elizabeth Yeakel, who now reside northeast of Shoeneck. He was born May 13, 1869 and died January 12, 1892, after he was married six weeks and five days. He is interred at Landis Valley. On October 3, 1892 she emigrated to Kansas. On June 11, 1895 she married Gideon A., son of Abram J. Lehman, near Dalton, Wayne Co., Ohio. He was born April 18, 1867. They are now residing at Newton Kansas, at Bethel College.

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John Valentine Hess, fourth son of Samuel and Catherine (Metzler) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born February 14, 1854, married December 6, 1883, Lottie, daughter of Paul Brown of Brownstown, She was born January 21, 1860. They are residing near Brownstown and are the parents of three children of the eighth generation, as follows:

Paul B., born August 24, 1884

Irwin B., born December 7, 1885

Clara Elizabeth, June 7, 1888

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Emanuel M. Hess fifth son of Samuel and Catherine (Metzler) Hess of the seventh generation, was born April 16, 1856, married 1877, Isabella, daughter of Gabriel and Levina Biem-derfer, of Kissel Hill, Pa. She was born October 20, 1855. They now reside at Millway, Pa. , and are the parents of four children:

Ursula B., born June 12, 1878

Gabriel B., born August 22, 1880

Walter B., born March 28, 1882

Benjamin B., born September 29, 1884

Henry M. Hess, sixth son of Samuel and Catherine (Metzler) Hess of the seventh generation was born June 4, 1860, married October 19, 1882, Mary S., daughter of Samuel Gingrich, deceased, of Manheim Township. She was born July 29, 1863. They are residing near Rohrerstown, Pa. , and are the parents of five sons and two daughters:

Jacob G., born November 22, 1883

Mabel G., born June 2, 1885

Harry G., born December 9, 1886
Elias G., born October 30, 1888
Lillie G., born September 5, 1890
Howard G., born April 2, 1892, died October 11, aged
6 months and 9 days. Buried at Petersburg.
Oliver G., born October 12, 1893

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Benj. M. Hess, seventh son of Samuel and Catherine (Metzler) Hess, of the seventh generation was born March 1, 1863, married September 16, 1886, Emma V. daughter of Wm. Burton of Lancaster Co., Pa. She was born March 24, 1866. On May 1, 1887 he moved his family to Egg Harbor City, N. J. where he had charge of the agency at that point for the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co. until September 10, 1889, when he accepted the agency at the same place for the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., which he holds at present for the second term. They had 4 Children:

Benj. F., born September 16, 1888
Emma F., born, February 6, 1891, died August 20, 1891
aged 6 months and 16 days. Interred at Millers -
ville meeting house.
Karl F., born September 22, 1892
Louie F., born August 29, 1894

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Franklin L. Hess, son of George Y. and Eliza Schreiner, of Kissel Hill, was born December 31, 1849. In 1867 he married Barbara M., daughter of Samuel and Catharine (Metzler) Hess of the seventh generation. She was born April 29, 1844. They at present are residing at Kissel Hill and are the parents of nine children:

Annie H., married to John M. Seicrist
George H. married, page 14
Harvey H., born August 16, 1873
Kate H., married Elam L. Nolt, see page 14
Franklin H., born October 10, 1877
David H., born April 21, 1880
Infant, born February 14, 1882
John, born February 19, 1883, died May 2, 1891, aged
8 years, 2 months and 13 days, interred at East
Petersburg.
Lizzie H., born October 3, 1883

Anna H. Schreiner first daughter of Franklin and Barbara Hess) Schreiner of the eighth generation was born September 18, 1869 and married to John M. Seicrist, son of Christian and Anna Seicrist, deceased. He was born October 2, 1869. They are residing at Neffsville, Pa. , and are the parents of 3 children:

Elmer S., born March 31, 1892

Lillie S., born February 14, 1894

Edna S., born September 27, 1895

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George H. Schreiner, first son of Franklin and Barbara Hess) Schreiner, of the eighth generation, was born June 1, 1871, married October 5, 1893, Anna, daughter of Martin and Hettie Weaver, of Upper Leacock Township, Pa. She was born August 27, 1872. They are residing at the village of Brownsown, having one son:

LeRoy, born July 25, 1894

Kate H. Schreiner, second daughter of Franklin and Barbara Hess) Schreiner, eighth generation was born January 16, 1876, married November 28, 1895, to Elam L. , son of Deacon Michel and Amelia Nolt, of Groffdale, he was born September 16, 1871.

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John J. Martin, son of John and Susanna Martin of Manor township, was born August 21, 1847, married September 6, 1876, to Annie M, daughter of Samuel and Catharine (Metzger) Hess, of the seventh generation. She was born January 7, 1852. They are at present residing south of Neffsville. They have 4 children:

Ada May, born November 28, 1877

Christian H., born November 1882

Annie H., born October 19, 1884

Elmer H., born February 12, 1890

Here ends the record of Samuel and Catherine.

Hess, of the sixth generation and of the generations of their sons and daughters.

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Abraham Hess, the second son of Christian and Barbara Hess

of the sixth generation was born August 17, 1813. His wife Sarah Becker, daughter of Henry Becker, of Warwick Township, was born April 2, 1815. They were married in 1843 and reside in Ephrata Township, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile north of Millway Railroad Station. He died May 22, 1875, aged 61 years, 9 months and 5 days. His wife died June 4, 1861, aged 46 years, 2 months and 2 days. Both were interred in the grave yard at Hess' meeting house. They had six sons and 11 daughters:

Elizabeth, born April 16, 1839 died aged 5 months and 11 days.

Susanna, born June 14, 1846, died aged 2 months and 17 days.

Elias, born July 27, 1847, died aged 21 days

Martha, born July 7, 1848, died aged 1 day

Fanny, born July 28, 1849, died aged 1 year

Salinda, born September 20, 1852, died aged 2 months and 23 days

John, born September 20, 1852, died aged 7 months and 5 days

Samuel, born October 30, 1855, died aged 31 days

Catharine, born November 16, 1856 died aged 1 month and 17 days.

Henry B., Page 17

Christian B., page 19

Abram B., Page 21

Annie B., page 22, married Issac Rudy

Barbara B., page 23, married Jacob Rudy

Sarah B., page 27, married John Royer

Hettie B., page 29, married Ezra Landis

Marie B., page 30, married Henry Stoner

All the deceased children are interred in the graveyard, on their father's farm near Millway.

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Henry B. Hess, the first son of Abraham and Sarah (Becker) Hess of the seventh generation, was born September 27, 1835. His wife Harriet Buckwalter, daughter of John Buckwalter, of Manheim Township was born November 10, 1836. They were married October 16, 1860. They are residing with his father-in-law between Roseville and Lancaster, and are the parents of 3 sons and 1 daughter:

Elmer B., born January 22, 1872, and died June 9, 1877 aged 4 years, 4 months and 17 days.

Menno B., born March 13, 1880

Annie B., page 18, married Jacob R. Landis

John B. Hess, first son of Henry and Harriet (Buckwalter) Hess, of the eighth generation was born June 4, 1865 and married in 1886, Barbara, daughter of Christian S. and Annie Garber, deceased. She was born March 3, 1866. They reside 2 miles north of Lancaster at the Lititz Pike and are the parents of 5 children:

Harry G., born September 19, 1887

Mary G., born June 27, 1889

Elmer G., born July 5, 1891

Paul G., born July 11, 1893

John G., born January 14, 1895

Annie B. Hess, daughter of Henry and Harriet (Buckwalter) Hess of the eighth generation was born September 6, 1861 and married October 27, 1887, Jacob R. son of Henry L. and Catharine Landis, of near Landis Valley. He was born on the 14th. of August 1859. They are residing 1 mile southwest of Oregon on his father's old home. They have 4 children:

Henry H., born October 28, 1888

John H., born September 9, 1890

Warren H., born August 25, 1892

Clarence H., born June 24, 1894, died aged 9 months and 3 days. Interred at Landis Valley cemetery.

Christian B. Hess, the second son of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess of the seventh generation was born November 8, 1840. His wife Susanna H., daughter of Henry Burkard of Upper Leacock Township was born December 20, 1841. They were married December 4, 1864. They are residing in Earl Township and are the parents of a number of children:

Mary Ann, page 20, married Henry Martin

Fanny, Page 21, married Adam Redcay

Henry B., see below

Abram B., page 21

Susanna B., born February 7, 1877, died in March 1896

Emma B., born May 14, 1879, page 252

Lizzie, page 263

Hettie born May 23, 1885, page 254

Henry B. Hess, first son of Christian and Susanna Hess of

Farmersville, of the eighth generation was born July 7, 1872, married November 12, 1893 to Mary Ann Stoner daughter of Abram and Nancy (Nolt) Stoner, of near Murrell. They are both dead. Mary Ann, March 17, 1934 aged 61 years, 11 months and 10 days. Henry B., died January 8, 1951, aged 78 years, 6 months and 1 day. They had 8 children.

Mabel S., born June 22, 1895, died May 21, 1961, married to John Auker, 1918. John was born July 17, 1894. They had no children. Mabel was interred at the Pike Mennonite Church.

Enos S., February 22, 1897, married, page 249

Miles S., January 24, 1899, married, page 250

Infant daughter

Levi S., February 5, 1904,

Eli, February 5, 1904, married, page 251

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Abram B. Hess, second son of Christian and Susanna Hess, of Farmersville, of the eighth was born September 13, 1874 and married Caroline Myers, daughter of Abram Myers of Bareville. They are residing in Farmersville and his wife's birthdate is on October 16, 1877 and have 13 children:

Myer born in 1895, page 260

Milton, page 288

Esther, page 272

Ruth, page 268

Abram, page 271

Noah, page 286

Titus, page 269

Paul, born February 9, 1915, died January 23, 1921.

Miriam, page 270

Anna, born September 28, 1910

Clara, born November 29, 1912

Edith, page 270

Mary Elizabeth, born June 20, 1908, died December 17, 1946

Mary Ann Hess first daughter of Christian and Susanna Hess of Farmersville of the eighth generation was born April 29, 1868, and married Henry Martin. They reside near Reidenbach Store, Lancaster County, Pa., and have a number of children.

Christian, born December 7, 1893, died January 31, 1954, page 277

Susanna, born September 10, 1895, page 296

Mary, born August 29, 1899, page 275

John, born January 14, 1902, died November 7, 1951,
page 294

George, page 253

Henry, born November 23, 1897

Abe, born June 25, 1910, died February 24, 1951

Jonathan born October 9, 1892, died January 24, 1893

Eli, born April 12, 1904, died October 13, 1962

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Fanny B. Hess, second daughter of Christian and Susanna Hess of Farmersville, eighth generation was born March 2, 1870, and married October 24, 1893 to Adam Redcay son of Adam Redcay, he was born February 19, 1860 and they are residing near Reamstown, Pa. Adam died September 30, 1930 and Fannie died May 31, 1929.

Lizzie, page 259

Susan, born August 2, 1904, died April 14, 1915

David, born February 7, 1906, died aged 2 days

Abraham B. Hess, the third son of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess of the seventh generation was born August 29, 1843. His wife, Kate, daughter of John Keller, of Ephrata Township, was born January 16, 1856. They were married in 1876 and reside $\frac{1}{2}$ mile north of Millway, Ephrata Township. They are the parents of three sons namely:

Harry K., born July 10, 1878

John K., born March 14, 1885, died aged 4 years, 5 months and 2 days, August 16, 1889

Edwin K., born June 13, 1888

Now we turn to the daughters of Abram and Sarah Hess, of the sixth generation.

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Isaac W. Rudy, a Son of Daniel Rudy, west of Millport, was born August 6, 1822 and married in 1857 Annie, daughter of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess, north of Millway. She was born February 22, 1837 They resided at his father's old home where he died November 27, 1894, aged 72 years, 3 months and 21 days. He is interred at Landis Valley.

They were the parents of one son named Noah, who was born May 18, 1875 and married in 1893, Mamie E., daughter of the late John P. Holman, of Manheim, deceased. She was born April 16, 1875. They are residing now at Lancaster City and are the parents of two children:

Adella May, born December 1, 1893

Viola Grace, born November 28, 1894, died February 6, 1895, aged two months and 10 days

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Jacob Rudy, son of Charles Rudy, was born February 26, 1834, married in 1859 Barbara, daughter of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess north of Millway, of the seventh generation. She was born March 25, 1838. They are the parents of seven sons:

Christian H., born October 25, 1874, unmarried

Jacob, page 23

Abram, page 24

Levi, page 25

Samuel, page 25

Miles, page 26

One died infancy

Jacob H. Rudy, first son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Rudy of the eighth generation of Lititz Borough was born September 5, 1861 and married November 15, 1883 to Amanda R., daughter of Martin M. and Barbara G. Wraver, residing near Rothville Station, Pa. She was born July 7, 1857. They are residing west of Brownstown, Pa. and they have 4 children:

Bertha, born August 10, 1884

Stella, born June 25, 1886

Martin W., born February 27, 1891

Infant son born and died June 29, 1888

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Abram H. Rudy, second son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Rudy, of the eighth generation, of Lititz Borough, was born December 29, 1862, and married in 1887 Alice, daughter of John Carpenter, of Rothsville, Warwick Township. She was born March 27, 1867 and aged 24 years, 6 months and 5 days. She died October 26, 1891. He died November 4, 1893 aged 31 years, 10 months and 5 days. They are interred at Hess's meeting house and were the parents of two children:

Fannie, born March 17, 1888

George, born December 30, 1889 and died January 21, 1892 aged 2 years and 22 days

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Levi H. Rudy, the third son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Rudy of the eighth generation, of Lititz Borough was born January 20, 1865 and married October 27, 1887 Ellen S., daughter

er of Henry E. and Mary Behmer, of Owl Hill. She was born May 9, 1864. They are residing in Lititz and have 5 children:

Elmer B., born June 18, 1888

Harry B., born September 14, 1889

Clayton B., born January 23, 1891

Lizzie B., born September 11, 1892

Ellen B., born November 3, 1894

Samuel H. Rudy the fourth son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Rudy, of the eighth generation of Lititz Borough was born April 10, 1866 and married November 22, 1889 Margaret, daughter of Wm. and Frances Beatty, of Mount Hope, Lancaster Co., Pa. She was born March 5, 1862. They are residing at Egg Harbor, N. J., and are the parents of 2 children:

Meta B., born September 4, 1890

William B., born September 15, 1895

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Miles H. Rudy the 5th son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Rudy of the eighth generation, of Lititz Borough, was born October 31, 1868 and married April 29, 1891, Lillie Ida, daughter of Michel and Tillie Bear of Lititz and are the parents of 3 children. His wife was born March 13, 1871. The children are:

Florence Amanda, born November 1, 1891

Harry Bear, born August 25, 1893

Miriam Ade Laide, born May 8, 1895

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John M. Royer son of John Royer of Manheim Twonship, was born February 8, 1836. In 1870 he was married to Sarah H., daughter of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess, of the seventh generation, who resided near Millway. She was born January 14, 1845. They are residing near Earlville and are the parents of 3 children:

Abram H., page 27

Clara H., page 28

Ada H., page 28

Abram H. Royer, son of John M. and Sarah (Hess) Royer, eighth generation, was born December 23, 1871 and married in 1894 Alice, daughter of A. D. Hummer. She was born February 14, 1873. They reside at Ephrata.

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Clara H. Royer, first daughter of John M. and Sarah (Hess)

Royer, eighth generation, was born May 23, 1876. In 1894 she was married to Abram R. Groff, son of Christian Groff, of West Earl Township. He was born October 3, 1868. They are residing in West Earl Township and are the parents of one daughter:

Eva. R. born August 20, 1895

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Ezra Landis, son of Levi Landis of Springville of Ephrata Township, was born November 6, 1848. He married in 1871 Hettie, daughter of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess, seventh generation residing near Millway. She was born March 13, 1851. They were residing north of Ephrata Borough where he died July 16, 1881, aged 32 years, 8 months and 10 days. He was interred at Mohler's meeting house, north of Ephrata. His widow moved into the borough of Ephrata where she now resides. They are the parents of six children:

Levi H., born July 7, 1872

Lizzie H., born November 3, 1873

Annie H., born April 20, 1875

Sarah H., born September 7, 1876

Susan H., born December 23, 1878

Hettie H., born January 30, 1881

Levi is a telegraph operator out in Arizona. Susan is afflicted. She took to her bed in August 13, 1892, but in the latter part of 1893 was able to be up, probably for three months. Then she took to her bed again quite helpless and also speechless. She is in a very critical condition.

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Maria B. Hess daughter of Abram and Sarah (Becker) Hess, seventh generation, resided near Millway. She was born August 18, 1854 and was married in 1873 to Henry, son of Samuel and Martha Stoner, of Murrell, Ephrata Township. He was born January 6, 1853. They resided near Murrell and had but one daughter, Katie H., married, see page 31. In 1880 she married her second husband, John H. Burkholder, who was born June 17, 1852, in Leacock Township, Lancaster County, Pa. They are residing near Farmersville, Pa. Their union has been blessed with eight children:

Fannie H., born February 4, 1881, died aged 18 days

Menno H., born September 13, 1882

Sara H., Born February 3, 1884

Lizzie H., born March 11, 1886

Rufus H., born December 16, 1888

Levi H., born May 13, 1890

Hattie H., born November 5, 1891

Edith H., born March 23, 1894, died July 29, 1894
aged 4 months and 6 days. Interred at Groffdale
cemetery.

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Katie H. Stoner, only daughter of Henry and Maria (Hess) Stoner, on of the eighth generation, was born April 26, 1876, at Murrell, Ephrata Twonship, Lancaster County, Pa. and was married December 29, 1895 to Isaac S. Weaver, son of Aaron Weaver, east of Farmersville. He was born September 19, 1871. They started farming south of Reamstown where they now reside.

HERE ENDS THE RECORD OF ABRAM HESS AND HIS CHILDREN'S DESCENDANTS.

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John Hess, the third son of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess of the sixth generation was born May 31, 1815. His wife Elizabeth Landis, daughter of Benj. Landis, deceased, of Oregon, Manheim Twonship, was born October 7, 1820. They were married October 15, 1838, and resided first at Oregon. He died in 1891 at the ripe age of 75 years 7 months and 21 days. At the time of his death he lived between Roseville and the Lititz Turnpike where his widow and 2 daughters are now living. He is interred at the Landis Valley cemetery They had 4 sons and 7 daughters, namely:

Annie L., page 36, married Peter Hershey

Benj. L., page 33

Barbara L., born August 23, 1843, died aged 3 years,
11 months and 15 days

David L., page 35

Elizabeth L., born May 17, 1847 and died aged 2 years
9 months and 14 days

Mattie L., page 38, married C. Kindig

Maria L., born September 4, 1851. She is unmarried
and is living with her mother near Roseville.

Fanny L., born February 28, 1854, died aged 1 year
4 months and 17 days

Isaac L., page 36

Amelia L., born August 26, 1858. She is unmarried
and has her home with her mother. She is still
travelling a good deal of the time .

Infant son born and died January 3, 1860

The dead are all interred in the graveyard at Oregon,
Manheim Township.

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Benj. L. Hess the first son of John and Elizabeth (Landis) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born August 5, 1841. His wife, Hettie D., daughter of John Heller, of East Lampeter Township, was born January 11, 1842 and married September 5, 1861. They are residing at the village of Roseville and are the parents of 3 sons and 9 daughters:

Infant daughter born June 17, 1862

Anna H., born June 25, 1863

Lizzie H., born December 13, 1864, died aged 2 years
6 months and 19 days

Hetty H., page 34

Amelia H., born March 23, 1868, died April 21, 1877
aged 9 years and 28 days

Enos H., page 34

Mattie H., born November 4, 1871 died aged 5 months
and 24 days

Noah H., born November 22, 1872

Infant son born March 24, 1875

Lola H., born February 23, 1879

Mele H., born October 12, 1881

Mary H., born May 26, 1884

The dead children are interred in graveyard at the
Landis Valley Meeting house.

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Enos H. Hess, first son of Benj. and Hettie D. (Heller) Hess of the eighth generation was born October 29, 1869 and married November 20, 1890 Katie L., daughter of Christian S. and Annie A. Garber, of East Donegal Township. They have 2 children:

Clarence G., born February 16, 1892, died March 17,
1892, interred at Landis Valley cemetery

Edgar G., born March 19, 1893

They reside at Roseville, Pa. and his wife's birthday is
September 28, 1870.

Hettie H. Hess, daughter of Benj. L. and Hettie D. (Heller) Hess, eighth generation was born May 26, 1866. August 19, 1890 she was married to Albert Doner son of David and Anna Doner, of Ohio. He was born August 12, 1867. They are at present residing in Reading No. 534 Cedar Street. They have one son:

Walter H., born August 3, 1891

David L. Hess, the second son of John and Elizabeth (Landis) Hess of the seventh generation was born December 12, 1845. His first wife Amanda Herr, daughter of Jacob Herr, deceased, of West Lampeter Township, Lancaster County, Pa., was born January 27, 1847. They were married September 3, 1867, and were residing northwest at Strasburg, in said township where she died June 19, 1871, at the early age of 24 years, 4 months and 22 days. She was buried in the graveyard at Herr's Menonite meeting house. She left 2 daughters:

Annie Elizabeth, Page 35

Ida H., born March 10, 1870

On February 8, 1876, he married his second wife, Ella Kenega, at Buffalo, N. Y. She was born August 29, 1855. They are living near Roseville, Manheim Township, Pa. They have 5 children:

Ada K., born November 12, 1876

Elmer K., born May 14, 1878

Nora K., born July 23, 1880

John K., born December 8, 1882

Myra K., born December 31, 1886

Annie Elizabeth Hess, first daughter of David and Amanda (Herr) Hess of the eighth generation was born June 29, 1868. July 28, 1891 she married Milton K. Rupp, son of David Rupp, of West Earl Township. He was born November 16, 1864. They are residing east of Brownstown and have no children.

Isaac L. Hess, the third son of John and Eliza (Landis) Hess, of the seventh generation was born January 25, 1856. In November 1884, he married Mazie, daughter of David K. Doner of Medway, Clark County, Ohio. She was born October 7, 1862. Their union has been blessed with 2 children:

John D., died aged 5 years, 5 months and 9 days, December 9, 1891

Minnie D., died November 27, 1891, aged 2 years, 7 months and 14 days.

Peter Z. Hershey, son of Rev. Jacob and Barbara Hershey, deceased, near Manheim, was born September 7, 1839, and in 1858 married Annie first daughter of John and Eliza (Landis) Hess of the seventh generation. She was born April 6, 1840. They have 9 children:

Infant son born October 12, 1859

Levi H., page 37

Lizzie H., page 37

Annie H., born June 14, 1864
Mattie H., page 38
Peter H., born March 11, 1868
Benj. H., born March 14, 1871
Amanda H., born April 8, 1874
Alice H., born June 26, 1877
They reside at Landisville, Pa.

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Levi H. Hershey, second son of Peter Z. and Annie (Hess) Hershey, of Landisville, Pa., of the eighth generation was born November 26, 1860. February 10, 1887 he married Susan, daughter of Samuel and Leah Hess of Landisville. She was born December 24, 1859. They live at Landisville, Pa., and have but one son:

Samuel H., born June 11, 1891

Lizzie H. Hershey, first daughter of Peter Z. and Annie (Hess) Hershey, eighth generation, was born July 31, 1862. September 23, 1886 she was married to John E., son of Henry and Elizabeth Longenecker, residing near Good's meeting house. He was born August 4, 1863. They are residing at Donegal, near Graybill's meeting house. Their union has been blessed with 5 children:

Albert H., born October 22, 1887

J. Hershey, born May 23, 1889

Mary H., born January 23, 1891

Martin N., born October 30, 1892

Roy H., born July 2, 1895

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Christ Kindig, son of Christ and Mary (Frantz) Kindig of Millersville, was born May 15, 1848. In 1871 he married Mattie L. daughter of John and Eliza (Landis) Hess of Roseville, of the seventh generation. She was born October 2, 1849. They are residing near Millersville and have 6 children, namely:

Ivan H., born July 22, 1877

Minnie H., born August 29, 1878

Mary H., born May 1880- 8th of May

Lizzie H., born February 10, 1882

Infant daughter born June 8, 1884

Annie H., born April 6, 1886

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Christian Hess, fourth son of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation was born February 3, 1822. Dec-

ember 19, 1845 he married Annie, daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Bomberger) Wissler, deceased, near Wissler's Mill. She was born August 23, 1826. They resided near Fruitville, north of Lancaster, Pa. Thence they moved to Neffsville where they lived several years and where he died January 31, 1894, aged 72 years, 10 months and 28 days. They have 6 children namely:

Jacob F., page 40

Emanuel W., born in 1855, died aged 4 months and 20 days

Levi W., born December 27, 1857, died August 27, aged 10 years and 8 months

Mary W., born April 8, 1859, died aged 1 month and 7 days

John W., born July 7, 1861, died aged 9 months and 23 days

Annie W., page 40, married Rudolph Herr.

The dead are all interred in the Family lot at Landis Valley.

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Jacob Franklin Hess, the first and only living son of Christ and Annie (Wissler) Hess of the seventh generation was born July 31, 1852. His wife Laura E. (Landis) Reist, daughter of Levi and Annie Reist, deceased, of Millport, (Disston) Warwick Township, was born June 10, 1855. They were married November 19, 1877. They at first reside at his father's old dwelling place, but moved to Neffsville some years ago where they now reside, at Lancaster and Lititz Turnpike. They have one son and three daughters:

Clara R., born March 28, 1870

Annie R., born August 26, 1881, died June 3, 1882 aged 1 year, 9 months and 7 days

Galin R., born January 19, 1883, died April 3, 1883

Laura R., born April 21, 1884

The dead of this family are interred in the family lot in the Landis Valley cemetery.

Annie W. Hess, second daughter of Christian and Annie (Wissler) Hess, one of the seventh generation, was born December 26, 1865. October 7, 1886 she married Rudolph G. Herr the son of Daniel Herr of Manheim Township, Pa. They reside at his father's old home, where she died January 26, 1891 at the early age of 25 years and 1 month. She is interred in the Landis Valley cemetery in her parents family lot. They have one son and one daughter:

Laura H., born September 28, 1887
Howard H., born July 26, 1889

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Joseph Hess, the fifth son of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess of the sixth generation was born September 27, 1824. His wife Elizabeth daughter of Michel Weidler, deceased, of near Rothsville, Warwick Township, Pa. was born December 12, 1831. They were married in 1848 and at first resided at his father's home, near Rothsville, but moved into the village of Rothsville, several years ago where he died June 13, 1895, aged 70 years, 8 months and 16 days. They were interred at the Rothsville, Lutheran cemetery. They have 4 sons and 5 daughters:

Mary Ann, born September 6, 1849, died October 26, 1857, aged 8 years, 1 month and 1 day

Christ W., born May 1, 1851 died April 27, 1855 aged 3 years, 11 months and 27 days

Both are interred in their grandfather's graveyard near Rothsville.

Barbara, page 43, married Jacob Ritter

Lizzie, page 44, Jefferson Usner

Sarah, page 129, married Henry Hess

Joseph, page 42

Michel, page 42

Emma, page 44, married Franklin Musser

Abram, page 43

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Joseph W. Hess, second son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weilder) Hess of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born September 23, 1862. November 25, 1884 he married Sue, daughter of C. W. Binkley, now residing at Manheim Township. She was born at Strasburg, June 14, 1864. They are residing near Rothsville at his father's and grandfather's old home. They have one son:

Ralph B., born August 2, 1885

Michel W. Hess, third son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weilder) Hess, of Rothsville of the seventh generation. was born July 7, 1865. In 1885 he married Alice M., daughter of Reuben Kurtz, residing at Lincoln. She was born April 13, 1867. Their union has been blessed with 4 Children, namely:

Reuben K., born February 5, 1886

Lodie K., born October 10, 1887

Katie K., born January 8, 1890, died April 25, 1890

aged 3 months and 17 days
Lizzie K., born June 7, 1892, died December 19, 1895
aged 3 years, 6 months and 12 days

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Abraham W. Hess, fourth son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weilder) Hess, of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born September 18, 1871. He married March 3, 1895, Annie Musser daughter of Christian Musser, residing at Lebanon, Pa. She was born August 26, 1873. They are residing at Rothsville with his mother Elizabeth.

Barbara W. Hess, the second daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weilder) Hess, of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born November 17, 1854. In 1876 she was married to Jacob son of Benj. Ritter of Warwick Township. He was born August 19, 1855. They are residing at Owl Hill and are the parents of six children:

Lizzie H., born June 24, 1878
Elmer H., born May 2, 1881
Benj. Franklin H., born May 9, 1883
Emma H., born January 10, 1887
Mary B., born May 14, 1889
Joseph H., born December 15, 1894

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Lizzie W. Hess, third daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weidler) Hess, of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born February 3, 1857. In 1879 she married to Jefferson, son of Adam Usner, residing at Schoeneck. He was born February 18, 1855. They are residing at Rothsville. They have one son:

Joseph A., born January 24, 1884

Sarah W. Hess married Henry L. Hess, Page 129

Emma W. Hess, the fifth daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weidler) Hess of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born March 21, 1867. In 1886 she married Franklin S., son of John Musser, deceased, residing at Knauers, Berks Co., Pa. He was born June 17, 1861. They are residing at Rothsville, Warwick Township, and are the parents of 6 children:

Gertrude H., born January 6, 1887

Walter F., born February 1, 1890, died April 7, 1890
aged 3 months and 7 days

Charlie H., born February 10, 1891

Lizzie H., born August 26, 1893, died September 1, 1893 aged 5 days

Lodie H., born August 26, 1893, died August 30, 1893
aged 4 days

Jefferson H., born November 12, 1894

Here ends the record of the generations coming from the sons of Christian, the fifth. We now begin with his daughters.

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Abraham Brubaker, the only son of Christian and Anna Brubaker, deceased, resided south of Brickersville, was born November 2, 1811. He married October 19, 1837, Anna daughter of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess of Rothsville, Warwick Township, of the sixth generation. She was born December 31, 1817. They reside at his father's old home place and then moved to the next farm north where she died, September 28, 1881, aged 63 years, 8 months and 27 days. He died August 16, 1888 aged 76 years, 9 months and 14 days. Both are interred at the old Brubaker graveyard on the home where they died. They were the parents of six children, namely:

Annie, page 48, married Daniel Graybill

Christian, page 46

Elizabeth, page 50, married Henry Weidman

Abram, Page 47

Barbara H., born August 4, 1848, died October 31, 1862, aged 13 years, 10 months and 26 days

Peter H., born October 13, 1852, died March 15, 1869, aged 16 years, 5 months and 2 days

The dead children are interred in the same graveyard as their parents.

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Christian H. Brubaker, first son of Abram and Annie (Hess) Brubaker of the seventh generation resided near Speedwell Mill. He was born April 9, 1841. His wife Mary was born August 30, 1849, daughter of George Keller, deceased, of Springville, north of Ephrata. They were married October 6, 1868. They are residing at his father's old home place and are the parents of 8 children, namely:

Annie K., see below

Amanda K., born January 14, 1872

George K., born April 19, 1874

Mary K., born February 27, 1881

Christian K., born February 27, 1881

Abram K., born September 1, 1886, died aged 29 months and 28 days

Willie K., born February 9, 1889, died aged 21 days
interred at Graybill's church

Lizzie K., born November 27, 1890

Annie K., Brubaker, first daughter of Christian and Mary (Keller) Brubaker of the eighth generation, was born June 13, 1870. On March 13, 1892, she was married to Jacob, son of Christian and Lizzie Stehman, of Ephrata Borough. He was born April 1, 1867. They are residing in Ephrata and have no children.

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Abraham H. Brubaker, the second son of Abraham and Annie (Hess) Brubaker of the seventh generation, was born August 15, 1846. His wife Susan, daughter of Deacon Jonas W. and Ann (Bollinger) Bucher, Clay was born September 11, 1852. They married October 12, 1871, and are residing near Speedwell Mill, where his father died. They have 5 children:

Benj. B. born August 8, 1872, died August 6, 1895
aged 22 years, 11 months and 28 days, interred at
the Hammer Creek Church.

Emma B., born June 30, 1876

Annie B., born July 15, 1881

Adam B., born January 21, 1884

Abram B., born December 6, 1890

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Daniel Z. Graybill, son of Joseph and Anna Graybill, of White Oak, was born November 24, 1834. He married Annie H., daughter of Abraham and Annie (Hess) Brubaker, of the seventh generation. She was born October 3, 1838. They are now residing at Halfville, Penntownship, Pa., and are the parents of 2 daughters:

Susan, see below

Barbara, page 49

Susan B. Graybill, first daughter of Daniel and Annie (Brubaker) Graybill of the eighth generation was born February 13, 1858. In 1879 she was married to John C. Bitzer, son of Martin Bitzer, of north of Ephrata, Pa. He was born October 24, 1857. They are now residing in Lancaster city and are the parents of 4 children, namely:

Graybill G., born October 2, 1879

Norman G., born December 6, 1881

John G., born November 18, 1883

Harry G., born November 14, 1886

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Barbara B. Graybill, second daughter of Daniel and Anna

(Brubaker) Graybill, of the eighth generation was born August 20, 1863. She married Peter S. Graybill, son of Henry and Martha Graybill, residing 1 mile east of Lititz. He was born February 13, 1857. They are residing at East Millport, Warwick Township, Pa. Their union has been blessed with 2 children, namely:

Sheaffer G., born September 26, 1881

Mada G., born April 25, 1885

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Henry Weidman, son of Joseph and Hannah Weidman, of Brickerville, was born September 4, 1843. November 5, 1867 he married Elizabeth, daughter of Abram and Annie (Hess) Brubaker, near Speedwell mill of the seventh generation. She was born April 3, 1844. They are residing near her old home and are the parents of one son:

Abram, see below

Abraham B. Weidman, son of Henry and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Weidman of the eighth generation was born February 22, 1870. On December 18, 1890, he married Ella, daughter of Henry and Eliza Brubaker, of east of Hammer Creek meeting house. She was born March 29, 1871. Their union has been blessed with 2 children, namely:

Harry, born April 21, 1892

Katie, born October 10, 1894

These children are of the ninth generation:

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Christian Bomberger, son of John Bomberger of Warwick Township, who lived and died 2 miles northwest of Lititz, was born March 5, 1818. In 1839 he married Catherine, second daughter of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess, of near Rothsville, of the sixth generation. She was born December 8, 1819. They resided on the farm west of his father's where she died, July 26, 1875, aged 55 years, 7 months and 18 days. She was interred in the graveyard on the old Bomberger farm. She was the mother of eleven children:

Fanny, page 54, married David Huber

Nancy, page 56, married C. Bucher

John, page 52

Christ, page 52

Catherine, page 58, married H. Longenecker

Barbara, page 59, married A. Nissley

David, page 53

Martha, page 59, married A. Brubaker
Amos, page 53
Henry, page 54
One died in infancy.

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John H. Bomberger, first son of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger of the seventh generation was born June 11, 1845. He married October 18, 1877, Lizzie M., daughter of Christian and Catherine Stern, residing near Risser's meeting house. She was born December 22, 1854. They are residing 2 miles northwest of Lititz and have no children.

Christ H. Bomberger, second son of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger of the seventh generation was born February 5, 1848. October 12, 1871, he married Lizzie S., daughter of Jacob R. and Mary (Shenk) Hess, of the seventh generation was born August 20, 1849. They are residing southwest of Lititz and are the parents of 4 children:

Hayden H., born October 20, 1872

Mary H., born October 16, 1874

Infant daughter, born and died December 30, 1879

C. Martin, born March 17, 1884

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David H. Bomberger, third son of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger of the seventh generation, was born September 16, 1855. November 8, 1877 he married Emma J., daughter of Isaac and Mary Ann Dillman, of Farmersville, Lancaster Co., Pa. She was born May 30, 1860. They are residing west of Lexington Pa. Their union has been blessed with 3 Children, namely:

Dillman R., born December 15, 1879

Guy D., born January 1, 1888

Norman D., born September 11, 1895

Amos H. Bomberger, fourth son of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger of the seventh generation was born October 9, 1860. On October 13, 1885 he married Mary, daughter of John G. and Hettie Bear, of Mechanicsburg, Pa. She was born September 20, 1864. They resided at Lititz, where she died in 1895, at the early age of 30 years, 1 month and 1 day. She was interred at the Lutheran Church at Mechanicsburg. They had no children.

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Henry H. Bomberger, fifth son of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born October

24, 1863. He married Mary, daughter of Abram H. and Harriet (Stauffer) Huber, eighth generation north of Lititz. She was born June 29, 1868. They are residing 2 and $\frac{1}{4}$ mile northwest of Lititz on his father's home place. They have 5 children:

Mazie H. , born April 26, 1887

Abram Zenas, born August 10, 1888

Harriet H. , born October 10, 1889

Paul H. , born June 29, 1891

Lloyd H. , born November 21, 1892

David B. Huber, son of John Huber, died southwest of Petersburg. He was born December 17, 1837 and married September 29, 1859, Fanny, first daughter of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger, northwest of Lititz. She was of the seventh generation and was born August 30, 1840. They resided near the Fruitville pike north of Lancaster, where she died July 14, 1862, aged 21 years, 10 months and 14 days. She was the mother of one son:

Levi B. , born January 12, 1861, married November 13, 1883, Lizzie K. , daughter of Benj. Stauffer, page 55

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Levi B. Huber, first son of David and Fanny Huber, of the eighth generation was born January 12, 1861 and married November 13, 1883 to Lizzie K. , daughter of Benj. R. and Annie Stauffer, of Leacock Township, Pa. She was born March 3, 1863. They are residing east of Landis Valley and their union has been blessed with 7 children , namely:

Cora S. , born October 5, 1885

Annie S. , born April 14, 1887

Lizzie S. , July 27, 1888

Harry S. , August 13, 1889

David S. , born December 15, 1890

Benj. S. , born February 26, 1892

Christian S. , born February 11, 1894, died March 17, 1895, aged 1 year, 1 month and 9 days, interred at Landis Valley Cemetery

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Christian Bucher, first son of Joseph and Catherine (Risser) Bucher, seventh generation, near Lititz, was born August 15, 1844, married October 5, 1865, Nancy (or Annie) second daughter of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger, seventh generation. She was born May 14, 1843. They are residing near the Lime Rock post office and are the parents of 4 sons and 7

daughters:

Samuel B., page 57

Christ B., page 57

Mary B., was born June 2, 1869. She is married.

Elam B., born November 4, 1870, died March 23, 1872
aged 1 year, 4 months and 17 days, interred at
Erb's meeting house

Kate B., page 58, married Hiram Keeler

Annie B., born January 27, 1874

Fannie B., born August 18, 1875

Martha B., March 29, 1877

Barbara B., born October 23, 1879

Susan B., born December 11, 1882

Joseph B., born November 23, 1884

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Samuel B. Bucher, first son of Christian and Nancy (Bomberger) Bucher of the eighth generation, of near Lime Rock, was born July 21, 1866, married October 4, 1888, Mary, daughter of John Metzler, residing near Metzler meeting house, West Earl Township. She was born March 19, 1864. They are residing northwest of Lititz at the old Bomberger farm, having no children.

Christian B. Bucher, second son of Christian and Nancy (Bomberger) Bucher, of the eighth generation, of near Lime Rock, was born October 15, 1867, married November 28, 1889 Mary, daughter of Christian and Anna Hartman, of near Pennville, Penn Township. She was born November 16, 1868. They are residing $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles north of Lititz and are the parents of 3 children, namely:

Ammon H., born August 25, 1890

Elsie H., born November 24, 1892

Nora H., born June 13, 1895

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Katie B. Bucher, second daughter of Christian and Nancy (Bomberger) Bucher, of the eighth generation, of near Lime Rock, was born July 4, 1872, married in 1891 Hiram, son of John M. and Elizabeth Kohler, residing near White Oak, Penn Township. He was born October 10, 1871, residing near Pennville. They are the Parents of 2 children:

Alma B., born May 8, 1892

Elam B., born September 9, 1894

Catherine H. Bomberger, third daughter of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born January 26, 1851, married January 14, 1875 to Rev. Henry E. , son of Henry B. Elizabeth (Ebersole) Longenecker, of Conoy Township, Pa. He (Henry) was born April 9, 1853, and was ordained as a minister of the Gospel in the Old Mennonite Church, February 19, 1880. They are residing east of Mount Joy, and have no children.

Barbara H. Bomberger, fourth daughter of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born February 6, 1854, married November 11, 1873, Andrew G., son of John and Barbara (Garber) Nissley, who resided east of Mount Joy, Rapho Township. He was born February 28, 1853. They are residing at his father's old home place and are the parents of 6 children, namely:

Christian B., born September 11, 1875

Elmira B., born August 12, 1877

Barbara B., born April 24, 1879

Amos B., born February 24, 1881

John and Anna B., born November 30, 1884

Martha H. Bomberger, fifth daughter of Christian and Catherine (Hess) Bomberger of the seventh generation, was born April 21, 1858, married February 19, 1880, Amos B., son of Henry and Elizabeth Brubaker residing near Clay in Clay Township. He was born January 19, 1857. They are residing east of Mount Joy. Their union has been blessed with 3 children, namely:

Lizzie B., born December 23, 1880

Ephraim B., born February 4, 1893

Christian B., November 15, 1886

Here ends the record of Christian Bomberger.

Levi Wissler, son of Jacob Wissler, near Wissler's Mill, was born January 3, 1817. He married December 30, 1845 Fanny, daughter of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess, near Rothsville, Warwick Township. She was born September 7, 1827 and was of the sixth generation. They resided at his father's old home where he died July 14, 1881, aged 64 years, 6 months and 11 days. Then she (Fanny) moved to Brunnerville where she died aged 67 years, 5 months and 16 days. They had

12 children:

Anna H., page 63, married Sam Zimmerman

Barbara H., page 64, married Joe Bucher

John H., page 61

Levi H., page 62

Jacob H., page 62

Christian H., sixth child, born August 29, 1855, died
aged 4 days

Fanny H., page 65, married Levi Forney

Kate H., page 65, married Dr. J. H. Seiling

Mary H., born March 27, 1862, unmarried

Samuel H., page 63

Henry H., born October 31, 1866, died September 15,
1868, aged 1 year, 10 months and 14 days

Hannah H., born March 30, 1869, died July 20, 1886,
aged 17 years, 3 months, 20 days

They are interred in the graveyard of the Hammer Creek
meeting house,

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John H. Wissler, first son of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, of the seventh generation, was born April 6, 1850. November 7, 1872, he married Maria H., daughter of Jacob E. and Eliza (Hershey) Brubaker, south of Brickerville. She was born May 8, 1850. They resided 1 mile south of Clay, where she died November 22, 1880, at the early age of 30 years 6 months and 14 days. She is interred at the Hammer Creek Church. She had but one son:

Jacob B., born September 10, 1873. He is unmarried.

December 11, 1883 he (John) married his second wife Emma M., daughter of Jonas Z. and Mary Ann (Miller) Nolt, of Mannheim Township, near Oregon, Pa. She was born June 10, 1847. They resided as above mentioned and their union has been blessed with one son:

John N., born February 1, 1888

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Levi H. Wissler, second son of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, seventh generation, was born February 7, 1852, married November 17, 1881, Martha M., daughter of Solomon and Maria (Grasman) Kreider, near Lititz. She was born May 18, 1860. They are residing near Wissler's Mill at the old Wissler home. They have 6 children:

Elva M., born January 1, 1883

Hanna K., July 26, 1884

James K., born October 20, 1886, died November 27,

1889, aged 3 years 1 month, 7 days
Levi K., born May 10, 1892
David K., born March 26, 1895

Jacob H. Wissler, third son of Levi and Fanny(Hess) Wissler, of the seventh generation was born October 2, 1853. He married October 31, 1876, Ella R., daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth (Reist) Royer, near Akron, Pa. She was born November 20, 1857. They are residing north of Ephrata, Pa. Their union has been blessed with 5 children:

Alvin R., born October 31, 1877
Clarence R., born March 13, 1879
Samuel Y., born April 18, 1882
Lizzie R., born April 11, 1884
Fanny Irene, born August 27, 1890

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Samuel H. Wissler, fifth son of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, of the seventh generation, was born April 17, 1864. He married August 27, 1889, Sallie A., daughter of Henry B. and Mary G. (Swarr) Stauffer, near Petersburg, Pa. She was born January 27, 1863. They are residing in Lincoln and have no children.

Annie H., Wissler first daughter of Levi and Fanny(Hess) Wissler, of seventh generation, was born in Clay Township, December 20, 1846. Married November 13, 1870 to Samuel, son of Sam and Susanna (Bleuch) Zimmerman of Cumberland Co. Pa. He was born October 31, 1842. They are residing near Shiremanstown, Cumberland Co., Pa. They have 4 children

Minnie W., born January 23, 1878
Elam H., born April 18, 1882
Owen J., born June 30, 1884
Christian W., born December 16, 1887

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Barbara H. Wissler, second daughter of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, of the seventh generation, was born July 26, 1848. Married November 19, 1869, to Joseph R., son of Joseph and Catherine (Risser) Bucher. He was born May 26, 1848. They are residing north of Brunnerville, Pa., and have 4 children:

Anna W., born July 17, 1870
Levi W., born November 23, 1872
Joseph W., born December 2, 1875
Henry W., born October 13, 1883

Anna W. Bucher, first and only daughter of Joseph and Barbara (Wissler) Bucher, of the eighth generation, was born July 17, 1870 and married September 20, 1891, to Monroe son of Reuben and Mathilda H. Widder. He was born September 15, 1869. They are residing north of Millway. They have 3 children:

Reuben B., born July 29, 1892

Katie B., born January 29, 1894

Joseph B., born July 15, 1895

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Fanny H. Wissler, third daughter of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, seventh generation, was born September 18, 1856, married December 22, 1892, to Levi R., son of Levi and Mary (Rupp) Forney, of Lime Rock. They are residing near Lime Rock at his father's place, having but one infant son, born December 21, 1894.

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Katie H. Wissler, fourth daughter of Levi and Fanny (Hess) Wissler, of the seventh generation, was born September 7, 1859 married April 25, 1878, Dr. Jacob H., son of Henry and Elizabeth (Small) Seiling, Shrewsbury, York Co., Pa. He was born January 15, 1851. They are residing in Manheim, Pa. Their union has been blessed with 3 children, namely:

Fanny Wissler, born February 17, 1879

Mary Celcilia, born December 8, 1881

Elizabeth May, born May 10, 1884, died October 18, 1887, aged 3 years, 5 months and 8 days

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Jacob Bomberger, second son of John Bomberger, northwest of Lititz, was born October 1, 1824. Married in 1848 to Barbara (Huber) Hess, near Rothsville, of the sixth generation. She was born December 25, 1829. They resided at the old John Bomberger home place, where he died May 14, 1885, aged 60 years, 7 months and 13 days. Their union has been blessed with 3 children namely:

Annie, married Henry Snyder, page 67

Maria, married Henry R. Landis, page 67

Jacob, page 66

Jacob H. Bomberger, first and only son of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation was born October 10, 1860. Married October 16, 1883, Ann B., daughter of Hiram and Barbara Hollinger. She was born April 6, 1864. They are residing in Warwick at the present. They are the par-

ents of 4 children:

Hiram B., born October 19, 1884

Barbara B., January 16, 1887

Jacob B., March 17, 1889

Clayton B., March 1, 1892

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Annie H. Bomberger, first daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Bomberger, northwest of Lititz, of the seventh generation was born November 20, 1849 and married November 14, 1872 to Henry G., son of Christian and Mary (Garber) Snyder, of East Donegal Township. He was born May 28, 1849. They are residing $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northwest of Lititz Borough and have seven children, namely:

Jacob B., born October 2, 1873

Mary B., born November 23, 1875

Christian B., born October 16, 1879

Amos B., born February 21, 1883

Barbara B., born, August 23, 1887

Lizzie B., born August 23, 1887

Anna B., born February 26, 1892

Maria H. Bomberger, second daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Hess) Bomberger, north of Lititz of the seventh generation was born February 2, 1854, married November 17, 1874 to Henry Reist son of Henry L. and Catherine (Reist) Landis of Landis Valley. They live two miles northwest of Lititz and have seven children:

Mary B., born October 14, 1881, died October 17, 1881

Barbara B. and Katie B., twins, born November 23, 1882

Jacob B., born December 20, 1884

Emma B., born February 14, 1887

Ella B., born September 9, 1890

Lizzie B., born February 1, 1895

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Emanuel E. Wenger son of Benj. Wenger of West Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., was born June 13, 1828, married to Martha Huber Hess, daughter of Christian and Barbara Hess, of Rothsville, Warwick Township, Lancaster., Pa., of the sixth generation. She was born March 15, 1833. They, moved west to Dalton, Wayne Co., O., about 1853 and from there to Burton City, O., Wayne Co., in 1876, where she died age 45 years, and 27 days. They are the parents of 7 children, as

follows:

Benj. H., born December 9, 1854

Emanuel H., born March 3, 1856, page 69

Christian H., born November 5, 1857, page 69

Michael H., born February 25, 1860

Henry H., born November 23, 1861, page 70

Amos H., August 22, 1866, page 70

Three of the children are dead as follows:

Benj. H., died November 2, 1856, aged 1 year, 10 months and 24 days

Henry H., died January 1, 1862, aged 1 month and 9 days

Michael H., died June 24, 1881, aged 21 years, 3 months and 29 days

They have now 4 sons living in Ohio, names and marriages as follows:

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Emanuel H. Wenger, son of Emanuel (Hess) Wenger, now living in Burton City, Wayne Co., Ohio, of the seventh generation, was born March 3, 1856, married January 8, 1880, Barbara Alice Rudy of Dalton, Wayne Co., Ohio. She was born October 5, 1858. They are the parents of 4 children:

Clarence Rudy, born February 17, 1882

Ivan H., born April 12, 1885

Justus F., born July 27, 1887

Daniel O., born July 27, 1891

Christian H. Wenger, son of Emanuel and Martha (Hess) Wenger, now living in Clinton, Summit Co., Ohio, of the seventh generation, was born November 5, 1857, married October 28, 1885, Savilla Stauffer, of East Union, Wayne Co., Ohio. She was born January 18, 1866. They are the parents of 5 children as follows:

Alphia Alice, born November 9, 1887

Stanley Quay, born July 8, 1889

C. B., born September 17, 1890

John Russell, January 25, 1892

Ulysses Marion, born April 11, 1895

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David H. Wenger, son of Emanuel and Martha (Hess) Wenger, now living in Burton City, Wayne Co., Ohio, of the seventh generation, was born March 22, 1864, married Mary Belle Spindle of Burton City, Wayne Co., Ohio, on January 14, 1891. She was born July 5, 1867. They are the parents of 2

children, namely:

Margaret E., born November 26, 1891

Grace M., born January 7, 1895

Amos H. Wenger, son of Emanuel and Martha (Hess) Wenger, now living in Massilon, Stark Co., Ohio, of the seventh generation, was born August 22, 1866. Married Maggie B. Suttle of Scottdale, Westmoreland Co., Pa., June 6, 1889. She was born June 27, 1868. They are the parents of one child:

William B., born May 30, 1890

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Isaac Bomberger, son of Isaac and Anna Mary (Hess) Bomberger, near White Oak, Penn Township, was born May 9, 1833. Married October 23, 1855, to Elizabeth, the sixth daughter of Christian and Barbara (Huber) Hess, Rothsville, Warwick Township. She was of the sixth generation and was born May 11, 1836. They resided at White Oak Church at his father's old home place, where she died June 16, 1891, aged 55 years, 1 month and 5 days. She is interred in the graveyard at the White Oak Church. She was the mother of 11 children as follows:

Emaline, page 105, married Israel Huber

Emanuel, page 72

Sarah H., married Elias B. Risser, page 210

Catherine H., born June 2, 1864

Lizzie H., Married Jerome D. Koehler, page 73

Anna Mary, born July 9, 1869

Lydia H., page 73, married Wayne K. Zartman

Infant son born and died August 19, 1874

Infant daughter born August 19, 1874, died aged 9 days

Isaac H., born February 1, 1876

Israel H., born April 19, 1879

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Emanuel H. Bomberger, first son of Isaac and Elizabeth (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation was born January 22, 1859, married September 23, 1880, Mary H., daughter of Daniel and Mary (Hess) Erb, of Erb's Meeting-house. She was born June 15, 1862. They are residing east of Pennville, Elizabeth Township, Pa. They are the parents of 6 children, namely

Daniel E., born July 24, 1881, died February 16, 1888
aged 1 year, 6 months and 22 days, interred at Erb
meeting-house

Benj. E., born May 22, 1883

Lizzie E., born March 17, 1885

Mary E., born March 6, 1887
Emanuel E., born October 4, 1889
Isaac E., born August 31, 1893

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Lizzie H. Bomberger, fourth daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation was born February 6, 1867, married October 20, 1889, to Jerome D. Koehler, son of John M. and Elizabeth Koehler. He was born April 3, 1865. They are residing at Pennville, and have but one son:
Isaac B., born January 19, 1890

Lydia H. Bomberger, sixth daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Hess) Bomberger, of the seventh generation was born January 9, 1872. Married October 14, 1894 to Wayne K., son of Martin and Mary Zartman. He was born March 12, 1871. They are residing near Ed Brubaker's mill, having but one son:
Israel, born June 20, 1895

Here ends the record of Christian and Barabara (Huber) Hess. The record of Emaline H. Bomberger will be found in the Huber generation and that of Sarah H. Bomberger in that of the Risser's.

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John Hess, the second son of Rev. John Hess, of the fifth generation was born September 24, 1791, in Warwick Township. His wife Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob Risser, of Mount Joy Township was born January 24, 1794 and married in 1813. They resided in Elizabeth Township, 1 mile northeast of Brunnerville. They were the parents of 3 sons and 5 daughters. He died July 30, 1831, aged 39 years, 10 months and 6 days. His wife Elizabeth, died March 23, 1879, at ripe age of 85 years, 1 month and 29 days. They are interred in the graveyard at the Hammer Creek meeting house.

Mary, page 88, married Daniel Erb

Jacob, page 75

Elizabeth, page 95, married David Brubaker

Martha, page 102, married Abram Huber

Esther, born August 18, 1823 and died aged 1 year , 6 months and 26 days

Annie, page 108 , married Israel Rohrer

John R., page 78

Samuel, page 84

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Jacob R. Hess, first son of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess, of the sixth generation was born July 11, 1816, in Elizabeth

Township. His wife, Mary, daughter of Samuel Shenk, of Elizabeth Township was born November 15, 1825. They married in 1843 and resided in said township, on his father's farm. They were the parents of 4 sons and 5 daughters. His wife Mary died December 25, 1863, aged 38 years and 10 days. He (Jacob) died February 22, 1877, aged 61 years, 7 months and 11 days. They interred in the graveyard at the Hammer Creek meeting house.

Mary A., page 77, Nathaniel Brubaker

Lydia A., born December 7, 1845

John S., born November 2, 1847 and died, aged 10 months and 24 days

Elizabeth, page 52, married C. Bomberger

Susanna S., born December 15, 1851, aged 4 days

Samuel S., page 76

Franklin S., page 76

Martin S., page 76

Salinda S., born January 11, 1861

Lydia A. and Salinda S. are living together in the Boro of Lititz

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Samuel S. Hess, first living son of Jacob R. and Mary (Shenk) Hess, near Brunnerville, seventh generation, was born November 30, 1852, married in 1882, August to Francis M., daughter of Urias and Harriet Carpenter, east of Pine Hill. She was born May 3, 1858. They are residing east of Brunnerville at his father's old home and are the parents of 4 children:

Elsie C., born August 28, 1883

Warren C., born October 29, 1885

Jacob C., born October 21, 1889

Howard C., born January 26, 1892

Franklin S. Hess, second living son of Jacob R. and Mary (Shenk) Hess, seventh generation, was born June 27, 1855, married November 22, 1882, Clara M., daughter of Cyrus Kline, east of Brunnerville. She was born October 9, 1859. They are residing one mile west of Clay, Elizabeth Township and are the parents of 3 children:

Flora K., born April 19, 1884

Stella K., born November 3, 1885

Victor K., born July 24, 1894

Martin S. Hess, fourth son of Jacob R. and Mary (Shenk) Hess, was born July 11, 1858, married June 4, 1896, Ella Lavina, daughter of the late Levi S. and Lavina Hacker, of Lititz. They are living in the Borough of Lititz.

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Mary A. Hess, first daughter of Jacob R. and Mary (Shenk) Hess, seventh generation, was born January 24, 1844 and married November 3, 1874 to Nathaniel, son of Jonas and Sarah (Keller) Brubaker, north of Lititz. He was born November 28, 1849. They are residing north of Lititz Borough and are the parents of 3 children:

Jacob Clayton, born December 5, 1875

Anna Leah, born February 27, 1879 and died aged 5 months and 5 days

Eleanore Brubaker, born October 13, 1880, died August 31, 1881, aged 10 months and 18 days

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Rev. John R. Hess, second son of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess, sixth generation was born in Elizabeth township, October 13, 1828, His wife, Annie, daughter of John Stauffer deceased, of Leacock Township, was born March 25, 1832. They were married in 1850, and are residing near Lincoln, Clay Township. He was elected January 8, 1866, a minister of the Gospel in the Mennonite Church. They are the parents of seven sons and four daughters.

Albert S. Hess, third son was born March 4, 1855. died aged 11 months

Amanda S. Hess, born August 24, 1869 and died, aged 3 years. Interred at the Hammer Creek meeting house.

John, page 79

Amos, page 80

Simon, page 80

Daniel, page 81

Abram, page 81

Benjamin, page 82

Lizzie, page 82, married Tilman Erb

Annie, page 83, married A. Wolf

Maria, page 83, married Moses Weaver

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John P. Hess, first son of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation was born April 30, 1851. His wife Susan, daughter of Adam Konigmacher, of Ephrata, was born December 9, 1852. They married in 1872 and lived first in Ephrata, whence they moved west to the state of Iowa, near Concil Bluffs. They are the parents of 3 sons, named as follows:

John Jacob, born December 3, 1872

Edwin Austin, born March 15, 1874

Adam K., born February 12, 1881

Edwin Austin Hess, second son of John and Susan (Konig-macher) Hess, eighth generation, was born in Ephrata, Pa., March 15, 1874, married September 4, 1895, to Belle, daughter of Sidney S. and Margaret Fletcher of Concil Bluffs, Iowa. She was born February 26, 1873. They are residing on a farm 3 miles east of Concil Bluffs.

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Amos Hess, second son of Rev. John R. and Annie (Stauffer) Hess was born March 19, 1853, married in 1874 to Lizzie daughter of David and Susanna Pfautz, Lincoln, Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born in Pa., January 7, 1850. They first resided in Rothsville, Pa., then moved to Heston, Kansas in the year of 1884, where they are now residing. Their union has been blessed with 7 children, namely:

Susie, born March 2, 1875

Norman P., December 1, 1876

Henry, born February 19, 1880

Anna, born September 11, 1882

David, born November 24, 1887

Lizzie Minerva, born January 17, 1893, died November 27, 1895

Simon S. Hess, fourth son of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation, was born November 30, 1856. His wife Sarah, daughter of George Wolf, New Berlin, Ephrata Township, was born July 30, 1857. They married in 1876 and resided at Akron. They have eight children, namely:

Amos, W., born June 20, 1877

Emma W., born November 12, 1879

Ada W., born December 18, 1881

John W., born June 13, 1884

Clarence W., born February 18, 1888

Eva W., born October 19, 1890

Harry W., born March 30, 1892

Edwin W., born October 6, 1895

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Daniel S. Hess, fifth son of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess of the seventh generation was born November 30, 1858, married in 1879, Hettie daughter of Henry and Hettie Weaver, of East Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born April 27, 1861. They first resided in Clay Township, then in 1884 moved to the state of Kansas, 2 miles north of Newton,

Harvey Co. They are the parents of 6 children:

Dora W., born March 7, 1882

Harvey Clayton, born November 15, 1884

John Henry, born July 12, 1886

Weaver, born September 15, 1890

Hattie May, born April 27, 1892, died August 31, 1894,
interred at the Penn's church

Amos, born December 17, 1894

Abraham S. Hess, sixth son of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation, was born in Pa., April 10, 1861, married August 16, 1883, to Anna B. daughter of David and Susanna Pfautz, of Clay Township, Pa. She was born March 28, 1863. They moved to Harvey Co., Kansas, March 11, 1884 where they are now residing near Heston Railroad Station and are the parents of six children:

Elmer David, born October 1, 1884

Ira P., born June 8, 1886

Edgar, born August 4, 1888, died May 10, 1890, interred at the Pennsylvania Church

Vera, born October 29, 1890

Jenny May, born March 16, 1893

Abram, born June 13, 1895

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Benj. S. Hess, seventh son of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation. was born January 18, 1863, married in 1883 Anna K., daughter of Cyrus and Elizabeth Bomberger, of Pennville. She was born February 14, 1864. They are residing on his father's farm near Lincoln. They are the parents of 2 sons and 4 daughters:

Alma B., born February 25, 1884

Lizzie B., born September 2, 1885

Tillman B., born March 17, 1887

Anna B., born March 1, 1889

Susan B., born April 9, 1890

Phares B., born May 5, 1892

Lizzie A. Hess, first daughter of Rev. John R. and Annie (Stauffer) Hess of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., January 10, 1865, married November 1886, to Rev. Tilman M., son of Jacob and Leah Erb, Newton, Kansas. He was born in January 10, 1865 and was ordained as a minister of the Gospel in the Old Mennonite Church, June 18, 1893. They are residing in Kansas and have 5 children:

Anna May, born October 2, 1887

Allen H., born December 6, 1888

Mabel H., born September 1, 1890

Susie Elta, born August 11, 1892, died March 12, 1893,
interred at the Pennsylvania Church

Paul H., born April 26, 1894

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Annie S., Hess, second daughter of Rev. John and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation, was born July 20, 1867, married April 8, 1888, to Albert N. Wolf. He was born February 10, 1868. They are residing in Akron and have 2 children:

John H., born April 28, 1892, died March 13, 1895

Susie Elta, born May 20, 1893

Maria S. Hess, fourth daughter of Rev. John R. and Annie (Stauffer) Hess, seventh generation, was born June 11, 1871, married December 21, 1893, to Moses, son of David and Anna Weaver, now residing near Newton, Kansas. He was born in Pa., October 28, 1868. They are residing in Harvey Co., Kansas having but one child:

John, born December 13, 1894

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Samuel R. Hess, third son of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess, sixth generation, was born in Elizabeth Township, July 27, 1830. His wife, Martha, daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Bomberger) Wissler, of Clay Township, was born June 28, 1832. They married in 1850 and are residing close to the Borough of Ephrata. They are the parents of 5 sons and 7 daughters.

Susan B., born January 25, 1855, died aged 25 years
9 months and 13 days, unmarried

Jacob W., born September 22, 1860 and died August
30, 1879, aged 18 years, 11 months and 8 da

Elias P., born September 13, 1862, died aged 3 months

Lizzie I., born December 10, 1863, died aged 12 years
and 7 months

Sarah E., born February 15, 1868, died aged 4 years
They all are interred at the Hammer Creek Meeting house.

Mary A., born April 2, 1859

Barbie E., born June 15, 1870

Annie, page 87, married Benj. Heller

Israel, page 85

Samuel, page 86

Emma W., page 87, married David L. Burkholder

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Israel W. Hess, first son of Samuel and Martha (Wissler) Hess, seventh generation, was born February 10, 1853. His wife Annie, daughter of Joseph Doster, residing near the Middle Creek German Baptist meeting house, was born March 28, 1854. They married in 1874 and resided at Ephrata, where he died, July 23, 1877, aged 24 years, 5 months and 13 days. He is interred at the Hammer Creek meeting house. He left a family of 2 sons and one daughter, namely:

Alvin D., born July 11, 1875

Joseph Walter, born August 22, 1876

Martha, born October 21, 1877

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Samuel A. Hess, second son of Samuel R. and Martha (Wissler) Hess, seventh generation was born March 5, 1857. He married in 1880 Mary F., daughter of Abram Longenecker, west of Lititz Borough. She was born November 4, 1859. They are residing one mile east of Wissler's mill and are the parents of the children:

Maggie L., born May 11, 1881, died in infancy

Abram L., born July 29, 1882

Samuel Walter, born July 27, 1884

Ella Mary, born October 12, 1885

Jacob L., born June 13, 1887

Harry L., born December 18, 1888

David James, born November 14, 1890

Christian L., born October 22, 1892

Willie L., born September 29, 1894

Menno W. Hess, third living son of Samuel R. and Martha (Wissler) Hess of the seventh generation, was born March 13, 1874, married June 11, 1895, Magdalena, daughter of Martin Jensenig. She was born November 12, 1875. They are residing at Ephrata with his parents.

Anna E. Hess, first daughter of Samuel R. and Martha (Wissler) Hess, seventh generation, was born September 28, 1851, married in 1873 to Benj. D., son of John Heller, of East Conpeter Township, near Binkley Bridge. He was born November 3, 1849. They are residing in the same township, near his father's old home. Their union has been blessed with seven children, namely:

Samuel H., born November 4, 1873

Harvey Ellsworth, born June 27, 1876

Benj. H., born June 13, 1878

Jacob H., born February 1, 1880
John H., born May 25, 1882
Laura H., born December 1, 1886
Parke H., born July 24, 1894

Emma W. Hess, third living daughter of Samuel and Mary (Wissler) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born December 23, 1865 and married October 23, 1890 to David L., son of Samuel Burkholder. He was born November 19, 1864. They are residing near Farmersville. Their union has been blessed with 3 children:

Hettie H., born October 31, 1891
Samuel H., born November 29, 1893
Warren H., born October 29, 1895

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Daniel S. Erb, son of Joseph and Anna Erb, was born December 17, 1814 and married October 15, 1833, Mary R., daughter of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess sixth generation. She was born January 9, 1815. They resided near Erb's meeting house, where she died, March 25, 1888, age 73 years, 2 months and 16 days. She is interred at Erb's Church. He, Daniel, is now residing with his daughter, Mary, near Pennville. They had 4 sons and 2 daughters:

Joseph H., born December 7, 1834, died January 1839, aged 4 years and 29 days, interred at Erb's Church

Jacob H., page 89

Samuel H., page 92

Elizabeth, Page 93, married Henry Miller

Benj. H., page 93

Mary H., born June 25, 1862. Her record is found in Emanuel Bomberger's Family, page 72

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Jacob H. Erb, first living son of Daniel S. and Mary (Hess) Erb, seventh generation, was born December 15, 1837, married September 2, 1858, Barbara, daughter of Rev. Jacob and Barbara Hershey. She was born January 16, 1841. They are residing northwest of Erb's meeting house. They have 4 sons and 5 daughters:

Infant daughter born June 15, 1859

Amos H., page 90

Ephriam H., born October 28, 1862, died aged 3 months and 3 days

Levi H., page 90

Barbara H., page 91, married David Snyder

John H., page 91

Mary H., born May 17, 1871, died aged 18 years, 9 months and 7 days, February 24, 1890

Mathilda and Salinda H., twins were born October 3, 1874. Mathilda died aged 2 months and 26 days and Salinda died aged 3 months and 15 days.

The dead of this family are all interred at Erb's cemetery.

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Amos H. Erb, oldest son of Jacob and Barbara (Hershey) Erb, eighth generation, was born January 6, 1861, married November 21, 1889, to Ida B., daughters of Samuel and Amanda Fautz, near Lime Rock, Pa. She was born June 27, 1866. They are residing near Erb's Church. Their union has been blessed with 2 sons and 2 daughters;

Howard P., born July 1, 1890

Lillian P., born September 25, 1891

Alvin P., born January 16, 1893

Bertha P., born February 26, 1894, died February 27, 1905 aged 1 year and 1 day, interred at Erb's cemetery.

Levi H. Erb, third son of Jacob H. and Barbara (Hershey) Erb, eighth generation, was born March 25, 1864, married September 17, 1885, to Ellen W., daughter of Daniel F. and Salinda Harnish, of near Neffsville, Pa. She was born March 2, 1864. They are residing north of Erb's Church. They have 7 children:

Bertha May, born May 29, 1886, died September 5, 1886 aged 3 months and 7 days, interred at Erb's cemetery

Zenas H., born September 7, 1887

Ellen H., born March 17, 1889

Jacob H., August 7, 1891

Mabel H., born February 7, 1893

Barbara and Salinda, twins, born April 12, 1895

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John H. Erb, fourth son of Jacob and Barbara (Hershey) Erb, eighth generation, was born July 17, 1868, married in 1888 to Amanda, daughter of Jonas W. and Ann Bucher, of Say, Pa. She was born June 13, 1869. They resided in Manheim Township, Pa., where he died aged 25 years, 10 months and 15 days on June 2, 1894. Their union was blessed with 5 children:

Minnie May, born May 29, 1889

Walter B., born July 12, 1891, died September 11, 1891, aged 1 month and 29 days

Edgar B., born June 11, 1892

John Victor, born May 31, 1893

Jonas W., born July 4, 1894, died August 7, 1894, aged 1 month and 3 days

The dead of this family are all interred in Erb's cemetery. The widow with her children resided with her father.

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Barbara H. Erb, only living daughter of Jacob and Barbara (Hershey) Erb, eighth generation, was born January 3, 1866, married November 2, 1888, to David S., son of John K. and Maria Snyder, near Hinkletown, Pa. He was born December 16, 1864. They resided with his father-in-law (Erb) where he died March 12, 1895, aged 30 years, 2 months and 26 days. He interred Erb's cemetery. Their union has been blessed with 3 children:

Lillian E., born October 5, 1889

Barbara E., born March 13, 1892

Jacob E., born December 31, 1893

The widow and children resided with her father.

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Samuel H. Erb, third son of Daniel S. and Mary (Hess) Erb, seventh generation, was born November 15, 1841, married November 26, 1867, Esther M., daughter of Rev. Samuel and Susan Zimmerman Cumberland Co., Pa. She was born March 3, 1846. They are residing Erb's meetinghouse. They had 4 sons and 2 daughters, namely:

Edwin Z., born November 26, 1868, died March 9, 1877, aged 8 years, 3 months and 13 days. Interred at Erb's cemetery.

Harry R., page 92

Daniel Z., born March 11, 1878

Naomi Z., January 18, 1883

Ella Z., born April 17, 1886

Samuel Z., born August 12, 1888

Henry Z. Erb, second son of Samuel and Esther (Zimmerman) Erb, eighth generation, was born August 4, 1872, married November 22, 1894, Emma B., daughter of Henry R. and Susan Bender residing east of Mount Joy. She was born December 17, 1873. They are residing at Erb's meeting house.

Benj. H. Erb, fourth son of Daniel and Mary (Hess) Erb, seventh generation, was born July 19, 1850. Married October 25, 1877, to Lizzie S., daughter of Israel Bomberger, of Lebanon Co., Pa. She was born February 20, 1859. They are residing near the Hammer Creek meeting house. They had 3 children:

Mary B., Erb, born June 4, 1879, died January 27, 1884, aged 4 years, 7 months and 23 days, interred at Hammer Creek Church.

John B., born April 22, 1883

Israel B., born February 15, 1888

Henry S. Miller, son of David and Anna Miller, residing near Good's meeting house, Conoy Township, Pa., was born March 22, 1838 and married September 29, 1864, to Elizabeth E. Erb, daughter of Daniel and Mary (Hess) Erb, of Erb's meeting house, seventh generation. She was born December 30, 1844. West Donegal Township, near Bassler's meeting house and on September 20, 1890, he (Miller) was ordained as a deacon in the Mennonite congregation. Their union was blessed with 7 sons and 2 daughters:

Daniel E., page 94

Annie E., page 94

Simon E., born August 28, 1868, died June 7, 1875, aged 6 years, 9 months and 9 days

David E., born September 13, 1870, died January 8, 1873 aged 2 years, 3 months and 25 days

Henry E., born June 3, 1872

Benj. E., born April 7, 1874

Amos E., born December 18, 1877

Ezra E., born October 27, 1881, died January 13, 1896 aged 14 years, 2 months and 25 days

Lizzie E., born May 27, 1885, died April 29, 1892, aged 6 years, 11 months and 2 days

The dead of this family are all interred at Bassler's cemetery.

Daniel E. Miller, first son of Henry and Elizabeth (Erb) Miller eighth generation, was born October 27, 1865, married October 21, 1890, Frances E., daughter of John G. and Fanna Snyder, of Rapho Township, Pa. She was born June 21, 1868. They reside in Mount Joy Township, near Florin. They had 2 children:

Lizzie S., born February 13, 1892
Norman S., born September 11, 1893

Anna E. Miller, first daughter of Henry L. and Elizabeth (Erb) Miller, eighth generation was born June 21, 1867, married December 7, 1893, to Levi L., son of David M. and Fanny Ebersole of West Donegal Township, Pa. He was born July 11, 1872. They reside at his father's old home. They have one son.
Tilman M., born October 28, 1894

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David Brubaker, son of Joseph Brubaker, of Warwick Township, was born November 27, 1814, married in 1838, to Elizabeth, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess of the sixth generation. She was born September 4, 1818. They resided west of Hess' church and he (David) was ordained as a deacon of the Mennonite denomination in 1851. She (Elizabeth) died April 20, 1862, 43 years, 7 months and 16 days. He (David) died February 23, 1884, aged 69 years, 2 months and 26 days. Interred at Hess' church. Their union has been blessed with 5 children:

Mary H., page 97

Sarah H., page 99

Aaron H., page 95

Martha H., page 100

Joseph H., born July 14, 1851, died aged 5 months and 16 days, interred at the old Huber graveyard.

Aaron H., Brubaker, son of David and Elizabeth (Hess) Brubaker, northwest of Hess' meeting house, of the seventh generation, was born October 22, 1842, married October 14, 1862, Maria M., daughter of Abraham Wenger, of West Earl Township. She was born February 6, 1845, and died February 5, 1864, at the residence of his father David Brubaker, aged 1 day less than 19 years, interred at Hess' meeting house. She was the mother of one daughter named Anna W., see page 96.

On March 7, 1865, he married his second wife, Anna W. Wenger, (A sister to Maria). Abram Wenger died in 1844, aged 20 years, 8 months and 26 days. Anna was born February 19, 1844.

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They are now residing at Stevens, Lancaster Co., Pa. Anna is the mother of 3 children:

Phares W., page 96

Abram W., born September 9, 1867, died aged 2 months and 2 days

Maria W., born November 23, 1868, died September 20, 1886, aged 17 years, 9 months and 27 days. The dead are all interred at Hess' church.

Anna W. Brubaker, first daughter of Aaron and Maria (Wenner) Brubaker, eighth generation, of Stevens, Pa. She was born January 29, 1864, married October 14, 1883, to Adam Bollinger, son of Harim and Barbara Bollinger, one mile east of Wissler's Mill, Clay Township, Pa. He was born February 3, 1861 and they are residing with his father. They are the parents of one son, named:

Harim B., born July 30, 1890

Phares W. Brubaker, first son of Aaron and Anna Brubaker, of the eighth generation, was born November 23, 1865, married December 22, 1888, to Susan Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob Linkley, of Lebanon Co., Pa. She was born October 26, 1865. They reside east of Stevens and have one son:

Hayden B., born September 12, 1891

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Benj. B. Leaman, residing in Warwick, was born September 6, 1836, married October 6, 1859 to Mary H., daughter of David and Elizabeth (Hess) Brubaker, of the seventh generation. She was born August 11, 1839, and died July 22, 1891, aged 51 years, 11 months and 11 days, interred at Hess' cemetery. Their union was blessed with 3 children, namely:

Nathaniel B., page 97

John B., page 98

Lizzie B., page 98

Nathaniel B., Leaman, first son of Benj. and Mary (Brubaker) Leaman, of the eighth generation, of Warwick, was born January 17, 1861, married November 12, 1883, to Anna B., daughter of Henry and Barbara Risser, one mile north of Brunsville. She was born March 31, 1864. They are now residing in Warwick and are the parents of six children:

Barbara K., born November 29, 1884

Mary R., born July 10, 1886

Edgar R., born March 22, 1888

Martha W., born February 22, 1890

Katie R., born December 13, 1891

Henry R., born June 7, 1894

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John B. Leaman, second son of Benj. and Mary Leaman of

the eighth generation, of Warwick, was born March 5, 1861, married in 1883, Martha, daughter of Joseph Graybill, of Pennville, Pa. She was born November 11, 1863. They first resided at his father's farm west of Hess' meeting house, from there moved to Hawkeye, Cook Township, Decatur Co., Kansas, in 1888 where they now reside and are the parents of 6 children:

Benj., born May 12, 1885

Graybill, born February 19, 1887

Florence, born January 20, 1889

Walter, born June 14, 1892

Roy, born May 3, 1894

Infant, born December 19, 1895

Henry S. Keener, son of George and Fanny Keener, was born east of Lancaster City, Pa., December 12, 1857, married November 4, 1880 to Susan E., daughter of Rev. Jacob and Fanny (Eby) Risser, deceased, of Washington Co., Md. She was born in Pa. September 24, 1858. They resided at the same place where she (Susan) died March 3, 1886, aged 27 years 5 months, and 9 days. She was the mother of 2 children:

Fannie R., born January 29, 1882

Jacob R., born October 10, 1883

October 27, 1887, he (Henry) married his second wife Lizzie B., daughter of Benj. and Mary (Brubaker) Leaman, eighth generation, of Warwick Township, Lanc., Pa. She was born October 22, 1864 in March 1888, he moved to Warwick Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., north of Lititz, where they now reside. The blessing of the second union is 4 children named:

Mary L., born December 27, 1888, died August 2, 1889, aged 8 months and 1 day

Benj. L., born May 5, 1891

Annie L., born September 27, 1893

Henry L., born December 12, 1895, died the same day aged 9 hours

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Abram F. Landis, son of David S. Landis, deceased, near Neffsville, Pa., was born December 7, 1839, married October 2, 1860 Sarah H., daughter of Deacon David and Elizabeth (Hess) Brubaker, seventh generation, was of Hess Church. She was born November 13, 1840. They resided near Lititz, till 1870, then emigrated to Wash. Co., Md., and now lives 7 miles northwest of Hagerstown. They had 5 children:

David B., page 99

Samuel B., born April 21, 1871, died May 7, aged 5 days

His twin brother John B., died 6 days

Annie B., Page 100

Lizzie B., born August 8, 1877, near Cearfass, Md.

She is with her parents

David B. Landis, first son of Abram and Sarah (Brubaker) Landis, eighth generation, was born December 24, 1862, near Lititz, Pa., married Ellen Belle, daughter of John and Rachel St. Clair, of Hagerstown, Md. She was born July 14, 1870 and died April 5, 1892, aged 21 years, 8 months and 21 days. He is interred at the cemetery at Reiff's church. Their union was blessed with 3 children:

Edgar St. Clair, born December 24, 1889

Bessie St. Clair, born December 31, 1890

Benj. St. Clair, born March 30, 1892, died August 6, 1892

March 6, 1894, David married Amelia H., daughter of Michael and Maria Mosaman, of Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born December 11, 1872. Their children are:

Abram M., born December 29, 1894

Maria M., born February 18, 1896

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Anna B. Landis, daughter of Abram and Sarah (Brubaker) Landis, eighth generation was born May 12, 1872, at Cearfass where she is now residing. December 24, 1889 she was married to Andrew S. Streit. He was born December 22, 1866, and was the son of Joseph Streit of Leitersburg. They resided near Leitersburg, where a fall of 25 feet from a cherry tree caused her death on June 28, 1895, at the early age of 23 years, 1 month and 16 days. Their union was blessed with 2 children, namely:

Ada May, born October 1, 1890

Irwin Landis, born September 18, 1892

Henry E. Landis, son of Rev. Samuel and Anna (Eby) Hershey, of near Manheim, was born July 24, 1838, married October 9, 1862 Martha, daughter of Deacon David and Elizabeth Brubaker, of near Lititz, seventh generation. She was born February 9, 1845. They are residing east of Kauffman's meeting house. Their union was blessed with seven children:

Samuel B., page 101

Lizzie B., born April 2, 1867

Menno B., November 8, 1868

Anna B., born June 25, 1876

Henry B., page 101

Mary B., born May 2, 1875

Sarah, born June 26, 1878, died aged 17 hours

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Samuel B. Hershey, first son of Henry and Martha (Brubaker) Hershey, eighth generation, was born August 2, 1864 married November 20, 1894, to Leah, daughter of Christian B. and Susan (Zimmerman) Hertzler, of Cumberland Co., Pa. She was born September 28, 1868. No children.

Henry B. Hershey, third son of Henry E. and Martha (Brubaker) Hershey, eighth generation, was born August 14, 1872, married November 19, 1895, to Fannie R., daughter of Martin E. and Mary Ann (Kreider) Peifer, of Pa. She was born August 15, 1874. No children.

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Abraham B. Huber, son of Abram Huber, north of Lititz Borough, was born April 13, 1817, married in 1839, Martha Hess, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess, north of Brunnerville, sixth generation, was born April 7, 1820. They resided southwest of Lititz, where she died May 2, 1875, aged 55 years and 25 days; he died July 31, 1886, aged 69 years, 3 months and 18 days. They were interred in the graveyard at Hess' meeting house. They were the parents of ten children; of whom 5 sons and 4 daughters are living, namely:

One child died in infancy

John, page 103

Eliza, born February 14, 1844, unmarried and has her home with M. Rudy's

Fianna, page 106

Benj., page 104

Samuel, page 104

Israel, page 105

Martha, page 106

Mary, page 107

Henry, page 105

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John H. Huber, first son of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber of the seventh generation, was born August 17, 1840 married October 15, 1867 to Rebecca Road, of near Lititz. She was born July 26, 1840. They are residing near Stevens, Pa. Their union was blessed with eight children:

Jacob R., born October 9, 1868, died aged 4 days

Amanda, page 103

Abram R., born May 15, 1871, died June 2, 1888, aged 17 years and 18 days

John R., born February 26, 1873, died May 1, 1877, aged 4 years, 2 months and 5 days

Infant son born January 1, 1871, died the same day

Rebecca R., born February 1, 1875, died April 27, 1877, aged 2 years, 2 months and 26 days

Martha R., born April 16, 1876

Lizzie R., born October 1, 1878

All the dead of this family are interred at Hess' cemetery.

Amanda R. Huber, first daughter of John and Rebecca Huber of the eighth generation, was born December 15, 1869, married August 19, 1886, to George, son of Christian and Lydia Lilhefner. He was born May 5, 1862. They are residing in Mohrata, having but two children:

Elmer H., born June 14, 1887

Stella H., born January 16, 1890

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Benjamin H. Huber, second son of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born February 15, 1846, married September 19, 1876, Sarah, daughter of Emanuel and Martha Landis, of East Lampeter Township. She was born October 18, 1845. They are residing near Roseville, Pa. Their union has been blessed with four children:

Landis, born October 8, 1877

Emma, born November 18, 1878

Ellen, born November 4, 1879

Sadie, born June 15, 1884

Samuel H. Huber, third son of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born February 15, 1848, married in 1876 Maranda, daughter of Michael Martzall, east of Akron. She was born December 25, 1856. They are residing 1 mile south of Murrell and are the parents of five children:

Harry M., born July 15, 1879

Elam M., born November 21, 1882

Katie M., born August 9, 1890

Samuel M., born February 2, 1892, died aged 2 months and 14 days, interred at Hess' meeting house

Mary M., born December 15, 1894

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Israel H. Huber, fourth son of Abram B. and Martha (Hess)

Huber of the seventh generation, was born January 31, 1833, married September 27, 1877, Emaline H. , daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Hess) Bomberger, near White Oak. She was born October 16, 1856. They are residing near Halfville, Penn Township and are the parents of one daughter:

Ella B., born June 23, 1878

Henry H. Huber, fifth son of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber of the seventh generation, was born December 15, 1858, married September 28, 1884, Lizzie, daughter of Hiram and Barbara Bollinger, east of Wissler's mill. She was born June 22, 1858. They are residing at his father's old home southwest of Lititz. Their union was blessed with one daughter:

Barbara Ann, born July 9, 1888

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Fianna H. Huber, first daughter of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born March 12, 1842, married December 7, 1886, to John L., son of Benj Rohrer, of Leacock Township. He was born November 24, 1836 and they are residing southwest of Mechanicsburg. No children

Martha Huber, third daughter of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber, of seventh generation, was born October 10, 1850, married in 1877, to Benj., son of Isaac Wikerd, deceased. He was born September 3, 1840, and are the parents of 3 children

Annie H., born October 31, 1878

Jonas H., born February 23, 1881

Lizzie H., born August 20, 1884

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Mary H. Huber, fourth daughter of Abram B. and Martha (Hess) Huber of the seventh generation, was born January 13, 1855, married October 13, 1881, Martin Rudy, son of Henry and Elizabeth (Weilder) Rudy, of Manheim Township. He was born August 1, 1856. They are residing southwest of Lititz. They have four children:

Lizzie H., born August 10, 1882

Annie H., born May 1, 1884

Katie H., born March 12, 1888

Emma H., born September 5, 1890

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Israel Rohrer, son of John and Esther Rohrer, of Leacock Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., was married February 15, 1844 to Anna, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Risser) Hess, of the sixth generation. She was born April 3, 1826. They first resided near Mechanicsburg, Pa., then moved to Pequea, Pa.

where they resided until 1876, when they moved to Rockingham Co., Va., with his family where he (Israel) died March, 1894, aged 73 years, 5 months and 26 days, interred at the plank meetinghouse graveyard, near where they resided. Their union was blessed with fourteen children:

- Susanna, born February 6, 1845, died July 25, 1851, aged 6 years, 9 months and 19 days
- Henry, born May 6, 1846, page 109
- Elizabeth, born April 8, 1848, died July 10, 1851, aged 3 years, 3 months and 2 days
- John, born November 31, 1849, died July 6, 1851, aged 1 year, 7 months and 5 days
- Samuel, born January 13, 1852, died January 29, 1855, aged 3 years and 16 days
- Martin, born February 19, 1854, died April 23, 1873, aged 19 years, 2 months and 4 days
- Jacob, born February 19, 1856, died June 3, 1858, aged 2 years, 3 months and 16 days
- Hettie, born February 26, 1858
- Israel, born February 17, 1860, page 110
- Anna, born January 2, 1862, died May 5, 1864, aged 2 years, 4 months and 2 days
- Mary, born September 23, 1863, died September 23, 1873 aged 10 years
- Amanda, born December 27, 1865, page 111
- Mattie, born July 31, 1868, page 110
- Daniel, born February 14, 1871

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Henry H. Rohrer, first son of Israel and Annie (Hess) Rohrer of the seventh generation, was born May 6, 1846, married November 24, 1868, to Susan, daughter of Abram and Barbara Hershey, of Paradise, Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born April 7, 1846. They are residing at Leaman Place, Pa. They had seven children:

- Annie H., page 109
- Barbara E., born March 12, 1871
- Abram H., born October 12, 1872, died
- Hettie H., born December 7, 1875
- S. Amanda H., born April 8, 1878
- Israel Warren, born June 3, 1880
- Ella M., born February 22, 1884

Annie H. Rohrer, first daughter of Henry and Susan Rohrer, of the eighth generation was born October 14, 1869, married November 13, 1890, to Abraham Fenninger, son of William and

Susan Fenninger. He was born December 9, 1868. Their union was blessed with 3 children, namely:

Elsie R., born January 29, 1892

Helen R., born May 16, 1894

Henry R., born January 29, 1896

Israel H. Rohrer, sixth son of Israel and Annie (Hess) Rohrer, of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., February 17, 1860, married March 4, 1886, to Lydia A., daughter of Henry and Margaret Rhodes, of Dale Enterprise, Rockingham Co. Va. They are the parents of 4 children named:

Ava M., born February 13, 1887, in Va.

Henry W., born September 18, 1888

Maggie E., born August 7, 1890

Amos D., born March 22, 1890

William, born April 19, 1894

Hettie M. Rohrer, third daughter of Israel and Annie (Hess) Rohrer, of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., February 26, 1858, married May 16, 1880, to Daniel P., son of John and Elizabeth Showalter, of Chrisman, Rockingham Co., Va. They are residing in Rockingham Co., Va. They had seven children named:

Ada E., born April 20, 1881

John R., born February 15, 1883

Annie G., born October 18, 1884

Israel R., born July 2, 1886

Henry R., born August 13, 1889

Sarah M., born October 18, 1891

Mary A., born April 9, 1894

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Amanda H. Rohrer, sixth daughter of Israel and Anna Rohrer, of the seventh generation, was born December 27, 1868, married December 4, 1888 to Adam, son of Jacob and Hannah Wenger, of Green Mount, Rockingham Co., Va. They are residing in said county in Virginia and have 4 children:

Mattie R., born April 19, 1890

Israel R., born November 30, 1891

Abram J., born February 15, 1893

Lena S., born October 18, 1895

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Henry Hess, the third son of the first Rev. John, of the fifth generation, was born January 17, 1794. His wife Catherine, daughter of Samuel Huber, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Lititz was born September 28, 1796. They were married November

22, 1814. Henry died June 13, 1867, at the ripe age of 73 years, 4 months and 27 days. His wife died September 19, 1879 at the ripe age of 82 years, 11 months and 21 days. Interred at the graveyard at the old Hess' home place, where they resided. They were the parents of 13 children, as follows:

Jacob, page 113

Susanna, page 137, married Isaac Huber

Catherine, page 112

Henry, page 116

Esther, page 150 married Joel Eby

Fanny, page 154, married John H. Brubaker

John, page 123

Sem, page 128

Martin, page 131

Levi, page 131

Annie, Page 157, Married John Franck

Jonas, page 134

Catherine Hess, the second daughter was born January 13, 1820, died unmarried April 20, 1871, aged 51 years, 3 months and 7 days. She is interred in the old Hess home graveyard.

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Jacob Hess, first son of Henry and Catherine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born December 5, 1815, married October 10, 1836, Nancy, daughter of Henry Becker, of Warwick, Pa. She was born November 14, 1816. They resided at the mill opposite the old Hess' home place, whence they moved to the pike mill, 1 mile west of Salunga, lived there three years, then moved to the Mount Joy mill, where he died July 2, 1850, at the early age of 34 years, 6 months and 27 days. Then the widow moved to the mill property opposite the old Hess' home place, living with her daughter Susanna, where she died August 7, 1893, at the ripe age of 76 years, 9 months and 13 days. Their union was blessed with 1 son and 1 daughter:

Elias B., born November 14, 1837, died August 19, 1853, aged 15 years, 9 months and 5 days

Susanna B., page 114, married Henry S. Frank

The dead of this family all are interred in the graveyard on the old Hess' home place near Lititz

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Henry S. Franck, second son of Christian and Catherine (Snyder) Franck, near Kissel Hill, Pa., was born August 16, 1837, married September 25, 1860, Susanna, daughter of Jacob

and Nancy (Becker) Hess of the seventh generation. She was born May 13, 1839. They are residing in Kissel Hill, on his father's old home place. Their union has been blessed with 2 sons and 1 daughter:

Annie H., page 115, married Nathaniel Erb

Jonas H., page 114

Henry H., page 115

Jonas H. Franck, first son of Henry S. and Susan (Hess) Franck, of the eighth generation was born May 21, 1863, married October 27, 1887, Emma W., daughter of Isaac and Ann Stoner, of near Ephrata, Pa. She was born January 20, 1867. They are residing at Lincoln and have 4 children:

Nora S., born August 16, 1888

Stoner, born October 3, 1890

Anna S., born June 11, 1893

Ira S., March 12, 1896

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Henry H. Franck, second son of Henry S. and Susan (Hess) Franck, of the eighth generation, was born March 7, 1866, married October 8, 1891, Anna K., daughter of Benjamin R. and Annie S. Stauffer. She was born April 6, 1871. They are residing with his father, having but one daughter, namely:

Nora S., born June 17, 1894

Annie H. Franck, only daughter of Henry S. and Susan (Hess) Franck, of the eighth generation, was born December 1, 1861, married November 21, 1882, to Nathaniel B., son of Jonas and Elizabeth Erb, residing near Erb's Church. The union has been blessed with five children:

Alice F., born March 29, 1884

Harry F., born November 27, 1885

Emma F., born November 28, 1887

Lizzie F., born February 15, 1891

Menno F., born September 3, 1893, died September 18, 1893, aged 15 days

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Henry Hess, the second son of Henry and Catherine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born in Warwick Township, October 1, 1821. His wife Esther, daughter of Rev. Jacob and Annie Hershey, who lived east of the Borough of Manheim was born November 18, 1826. They were married in 1843 and he is residing northwest of Lititz on the old Bomberger farm. She, Esther, died April 11, 1891, aged 64 years, 4 months and

days. They were the parents of 6 sons and 3 daughters, named:
Henry H., second son, was born November 5, 1846,
died aged 9 months, 24 days
Catherine H., second daughter, born September 18,
1854, died April 3, 1865, aged 10 years, 6 months
and 15 days
Esther H., the third daughter was born March 26, 1856
and died February 19, 1863, aged 6 years, 10 months
and 24 days

All the dead of this family are interred at Hess' Church.

Jacob, page 117

Aaron, page 118

Annie, page 122, married John Nolt

Ezra, page 119

Eli, page 120

Benj., page 121

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Jacob H. Hess, first son of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) of the eighth generation, was born March 27, 1845. His wife, Martha, daughter of Daniel and Frances Lefever, of Manheim Township, was born July 7, 1846. They married October 1, 1867. They are residing, 3 miles west of Mount Joy Borough. They are the parents of six sons and one daughter:

Menno L., page 117

Daniel L., born July 26, 1870, died aged 1 year, 8 months and 1 day

Annie L., born July 3, 1872, died aged 3 years, 11 months and 8 days

Henry L., page 118

Elam L., born April 8, 1875, died aged 4 months and 29 days

Jacob L., born March 15, 1877

Malon L., born March 17, 1878, died aged 4 months and 20 days

Menno L. Hess, first son of Jacob and Martha (Lefever) of the eighth generation, was born January 12, 1869, married October 6, 1890, Annie S., daughter of Rev. Benj. and Annie Leaman. She was born September 4, 1869. They are residing with his father-in-law, Rev. B. Leaman, at Milton Grove, Pa., having but 2 children, namely:

Ada L., born August 2, 1892

Amos L., born November 4, 1895

Henry L. Hess, third son of Jacob and Martha (Lefever) Hess, of the eighth generation, was born December 3, 1873, Married May 14, 1896, Emma, daughter of Harvey F. and Fannie S. Stauffer, of near Mastersonville, Pa. She was born June 25, 1878.

Aaron H. Hess, the third son of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born November 25, 1848. His wife, Barbara Ann, daughter of John H. and Eliza Ann, (Brackbille) Risser, of Brunnerville, Warwick Township. She was born September 13, 1852. They married in 1873 and are living near Brubaker's mill, Elizabeth Township. They are the parents of 4 sons and 5 daughters, namely:

Amanda R., born September 3, 1874

Milton R., born October 2, 1875

Elias R., born January 20, 1878

Ada R., born December 19, 1879

Mary R., born January 13, 1882

Lizzie R., born March 12, 1884

Aaron R., born July 5, 1886

Barbara Ann, born October 28, 1888

Wayne R., born February 28, 1891

Ezra H. Hess, the fourth son of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born October 24, 1852. His wife, Mary Ann, daughter of Joseph and Martha (Buckwalter) Stauffer, near Kauffman's meeting house, was born April 3, 1857. They were married May 1, 1879, and are residing 3 miles above Mount Joy, adjoining the land of his brother, Jacob. They are the parents of four children:

Ira S., born August 11, 1881

Martha S., born June 18, 1884

Elam S., born September 26, 1887

Mary S., born February 24, 1892

Eli H. Hess, the fifth son of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born April 23, 1858, married October 17, 1878, Mary L., daughter of Bishop C. S. and Catherine (Landis) Risser. She (Mary) was born October 15, 1856. They are residing with his father, Henry Hess, at his home place. Their union was blessed with ten children:

Ephraim R., born July 21, 1879, died April 24, 1881,

aged 1 year, 9 months and 3 days
 Henry R., born September 16, 1880
 Katie R., born April 5, 1882
 Enos R., born August 21, 1883
 Annie R., born January 22, 1886
 Eli R., born February 18, 1888
 Christian R., born December 30, 1889
 Harvey R., born December 11, 1891
 Infant son born April 19, 1893, died aged 1 day
 Mary R., born October 9, 1894, died aged 2 days
 The dead of this family are all interred at the Hess' cemetery.

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Benj. H. Hess, sixth son of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born May 16, 1863, married Lizzie, daughter of Deacon David and Elizabeth (Landis) Leaman. They are residing near Oregon, Manheim Township, Pa. Their union was blessed with 3 children, namely:

Minnie L., born August 22, 1890
 Nettie L., born September 6, 1892
 David L., born September 5, 1895

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John W. Nolt, son of John and Hettie Nolt, of Earl Township, was born April 14, 1843, married in 1869, Annie, daughter of Henry and Hettie (Hershey) Hess, north of Lititz, of the seventh generation. She was born October 8, 1850. They are residing north of Vogansville. Their union was blessed with 3 sons and 2 daughters:

Henry H., page 122
 Ammon H., born September 28, 1874, died aged 8 days
 Amanda H., December 19, 1875
 Hettie H., born April 11, 1878
 Phares H., born January 24, 1881
 Clayton H., born September 22, 1883
 Ira H., born May 6, 1886, died December 8, 1889, aged 3 years, 7 months and 2 days
 Elmer H., born May 5, 1888

All the dead of this family are interred at Groffdale cemetery.

Henry H. Nolt, first son of John and Annie (Hess) Nolt, of the eighth generation, was born April 29, 1872, married November 29, 1894, Lizzie, daughter of David B. and Bar-

bara (Learnan) Rohrer, of Upper Leacock Township, Pa. She was born October 27, 1874. They are residing north of Vogansville and have one child:

Esta May, born November 25, 1895

Here ends the records of Henry and Hettie Hess and their offspring.

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John H. Hess, the compiler of this genealogy and the third son of Henry and Catherine (Huber) Hess of the sixth generation was born in Warwick Township, September 24, 1828, married November 1, 1849, to Elizabeth H., daughter of Peter and Anna (Horst) Brubaker, south of Brickerville. She was born May 25, 1831. They resided $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Lititz, at his mother's birth place, where his wife, Elizabeth, died July 12, 1865, at the early age of 34 years, 1 month and 17 days. She was interred at Hess' cemetery. Their union was blessed with 2 sons and 2 daughters:

Peter B., page 124

Mary B., page 126, married Jacob Bucher

John B., page 125

Lizzie B., page 127, married David Leaman

January 6, 1870 he (John) married his second wife, Annie, daughter of Benj. and Catherine Koser, deceased, of Clay Township, Pa.

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Peter B. Hess, first son of John H. and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born February 24, 1854, married November 7, 1876, Mary Ann, daughter of Samuel and Martha (Nolt) Stoner, of Murrell. She was born September 16, 1854. They are residing with his father at his first dwelling place. They have 3 sons:

Samuel S., born December 26, 1881, died August 12, 1882, aged 7 months and 17 days, interred at Hess' cemetery

John S., born September 19, 1884

Jacob S., born July 29, 1890

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John B. Hess, second son of John and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Hess of the seventh generation, was born October 25, 1861, married in 1886, Anna B., daughter of Jonas and Mary Ann (Brubaker) Mumma, of Landisville. She was born June 2, 1861. They are residing at Lititz, where he (John) died February 1,

1890 at the early age of 27 years, 3 months and 22 days. The widow removed to Landisville where she (Anna) died June 23, 1896, at the early age of 29 years and 21 days. They are interred in Hess' cemetery. Their union was blessed with one son named:

Even Mumma, born November 9, 1886

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Mary B. Hess, first daughter of John H. and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Hess of the seventh generation, was born February 9, 1858, married November 2, 1875, to Jacob R., son of Joseph and Catharine (Risser) Bucher. He was born October 16, 1852. They are residing $\frac{1}{2}$ mile north of Lititz at his father's old home place. They have 4 children, namely:

John H., born February 5, 1877

Emma H., born December 23, 1880

Jacob H., born November 4, 1888

Mary H., born May 15, 1894

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Lizzie B. Hess, second daughter of John H. and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born July 5, 1865, married October 18, 1887, to David L., son of Deacon David and Elizabeth (Landis) Leaman. He was born February 26, 1861. They are residing north of Neffsville, at his father's old home place. Their union was blessed with 3 children:

Sanford H., born February 6, 1889

Anna H., born August 21, 1891

John H., born July 31, 1894, died January 12, 1895, aged 5 months and 12 days

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Sem H. Hess, fourth son of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born November 19, 1830. His wife, Fanny, daughter of Benj. Landis Near Oregon, Manheim Township, was born August 26, 1833. They were married September 13, 1853 and resided at the Willowbank Mill in Elizabeth Township, where he died December 10, 1871, at the age of 41 years and 21 days. Interred in the graveyard at Hess' meeting house. He was the father of 3 sons and 5 daughters:

Annie L., page 129, married Henry L. Brubaker

Maria L., page 130, married Timothy Purvis

Henry L., page 129

Susan L., page 130, married Benj. F. Hostetter

Fanny L., born March 26, 1861. She is unmarried and residing with her mother at Oregon.

Catharine L., third daughter born September 12, 1858,
died aged 8 months, and 10 days
Infant son, born and died January 28, 1863
Infant son, born and died March 1, 1869
The dead of this family are all interred at Hess' cemetery.

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Henry L. Hess, first son of Sem and Fanny (Landis) Hess of the seventh generation, was born January 28, 1857, married November 12, 1876, Sara W., daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Weilder) Hess, of Rothsville, Pa. She was born February 10, 1859. They are residing at Oregon, Pa. Their union was blessed with 4 sons and 5 daughters, named:

Elmer H., born January 19, 1878

Annie H., born October 12, 1879

Elizabeth, born September 9, 1881

Henry H., born July 20, 1884

Joseph, born June 29, 1886, died March 5, 1888

Sarah, born July 24, 1888

Walter, born December 11, 1890, died October 30, 1895

Fanny H., born September 4, 1892

Infant daughter, born February 27, 1894, died the same day, interred at Landis Valley cemetery.

Annie L. Hess, first daughter of Sem and Fanny (Landis) Hess of the seventh generation, was born July 27, 1854, married December 21, 1875, to Henry, son of Peter Brubaker of Leacock Township, Pa. They were residing near Hunsecker Mill, Pa., where she died December 23, 1876, at the early age of 22 years, 3 months and 26 days. She was the mother of one infant child. They are interred at Landis Valley.

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Maria L. Hess, second daughter of Sem and Fanny (Landis) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born October 8, 1855. She is deaf and dumb since 3 years of age. She married March 20, 1894, to Timothy, son of M. Purvis, who is also deaf and dumb, of Phila. He was born in the year of 1863. They are residing near Oregon with her brother, Henry. No children.

Susan L. Hess, fifth daughter of Sem and Fanny (Landis) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born August 12, 1867, married September 28, 1886 to Benj. F., son of the late David Hostetter, near Manheim Borough. He was born March 7, 1862. They are residing north of Roseville, Pa. Their union was blessed with six children:

Rhoda H., born October 10, 1887
Paul H., born March 28, 1889
Maria H., born August 31, 1890
Benj. H., born December 9, 1892
Albert H., born July 29, 1894
Fannie H., born October 30, 1895

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Martin H. Hess, fifth son of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born February 10, 1833. His wife, Mary, daughter of Rev. Samuel and Anna (Eby) Hershey, near the borough of Manheim, was born July 6, 1841. They were married September 15, 1859. They are residing 2 miles south of Lititz Borough, and are the parents of one son:

Reuben H., born April 4, 1867

Levi H. Hess, the sixth son of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born January 1, 1836. His wife, Salinda S., daughter of Martin Gross, of East Hempfield Township, was born June 22, 1842. They were married October 4, 1860 and reside in Penn Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., 2½ miles southwest of Lititz. They are the parents of seven sons and two daughters, namely:

Noah G., page 132

Henry G., born December 6, 1862, died February 16, 1872, aged 9 years, 2 months and 10 days and is interred in the graveyard belonging to the Menno-nite meeting house at Petersburg

Martin G., page 132

Mary G., page 133, married Andrew Brubaker

Levi G., page 133

Salinda G., born November 12, 1871

Phares G., born November 2, 1874

Elam G., born October 1, 1876

Ammon G., born August 15, 1878

Jerome G., born October 31, 1880

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Noah G. Hess, first son of Levi H. and Salinda (Gross) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born September 7, 1861, married November 27, 1884, Harriet, daughter of Levi and Anna (Bruckhart) Becker, deceased, residing near Kreider's Mill. She was born August 14, 1863. They are now at West Pottsville and are blessed with one daughter, named:

Carrie B., born December 6, 1887

Martin G. Hess, third son of Levi H. and Salinda (Gross)

Hess, of the seventh generation, was born April 5, 1865, married September 23, 1890, Emma R., daughter of Israel G. and Sarah (Reist) Erb, of Lititz. She was born October 27, 1870. They are residing at Manheim Borough, at the Keystone Bank.

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Levi G. Hess, fourth son of Levi and Salinda (Gross) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born July 14, 1869, married September 17, 1895, Mary M., daughter of J. Henry Muth, at present residing at Myerstown, Lebanon Co., Pa. She was born August 23, 1869. They reside at No. 231, Garside St., Newark, N. J.

Mary G. Hess, first daughter of Levi H. and Salinda S. (Gross) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born December 4, 1866, married in 1888 to Andrew H., son of Jacob L., and Fanny C. (Herr) Brubaker, near Rohrerstown. He was born October 7, 1865. They are residing near Rohrerstown. Their union was blessed with three sons, named:

Titus H., born April 20, 1889

Levi H., born August 7, 1890

Landis H., born June 28, 1892

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Rev. Jonas H. Hess the eighth son of Henry and Catherine (Huber) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born March 13, 1841. His wife, Annie, daughter of Christian and Catherine (Snyder) Franck, deceased, near Kissel Hill, Warwick Township, was born January 15, 1843, married September 29, 1862. They are residing at the old Hess' home place and on September 15, 1890, he was elected as a minister of the Gospel in the Mennonite Church. They are the parents of eight children:

Lizzie, page 135, married Henry Bucher

Catharine, page 136, married Amos Musser

Christian, page 135,

Annie F., born February 19, 1869, died September 15, 1869, aged 6 months and 26 days

Fanny F., born December 24, 1871

Henry F., born December 9, 1873

Jonas F., born December 24, 1876, died April 11, 1881, aged 4 years, 3 months and 17 days

Ellen F., born August 30, 1881

The dead of this family are interred at Hess' Church.

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Christian F. Hess, first son of Rev. Jonas H. and Anni

(Franck) Hess of the seventh generation, was born July 7, 1867, married October 18, 1887, Emma, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Stauffer) Schreiner, of Lexington. She was born March 18, 1868. They are residing near Hess' meeting house and are the parents of 2 children:

Annie S., born July 16, 1888

Christian Frank, born April 7, 1893

Lizzie F. Hess, first daughter of Rev. Jonas H. and Annie (Franck) Hess, of the seventh generation, was born October 17, 1863, married October 16, 1884, to Henry, son of Joseph and Catharine (Risser) Bucher, north of Lititz. He was born in December 22, 1861. They are residing south of Lexington and are the parents of 4 children:

Clayton H., born April 13, 1886

Annie H., born January 26, 1888

Katie H., born May 20, 1890

Jonas H., born August 24, 1892

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Catherine F. Hess, second daughter of Rev. Jonas H. and Annie (Franck) Hess of the seventh generation, was born October 7, 1865, married October 13, 1888, to Amos N., son of John and Catharine (Nissley) Musser, of Salunga. He was born September 4, 1865. They are residing southwest of Salunga and are the parents of one son:

Frank H., born September 5, 1890

Here ends the record of the offspring of Henry Hess' sons. We now begin at the daughters of Henry the fifth.

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Isaac Huber, son of Abram Huber, one mile north of Lititz, was born February 1, 1810. Married November 29, 1836, Susanna, first daughter of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess, sixth generation, who resided at the old home. They resided at his father's old home place, where she died December 21, 1877, aged 60 years, 3 months and 5 days. He died July 9, 1884, aged 74 years, 5 months and 18 days. They are interred in the graveyard of Hess' meeting house. They are the parents of 4 sons and 5 daughters:

Henry H., page 138

Fanny H., page 144, married Jacob Hershey

Abram, page 142

Maria, page 146, married David Pipe

Kate H., page 148

Susanna H., page 148

Samuel H., page 143

Sarah, page 149, married John Loose

These are grown up and Isaac H. died in infancy in 1857.

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Henry H. Huber, first son of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber of the seventh generation, was born May 15, 1838, married September 30, 1858, Elizabeth, daughter of Deacon Isaac Kauffman. She was born January 18, 1838. They resided one mile north of Lititz, where he (Henry) died April 21, 1891, aged 52 years, 11 months and 6 days. Their union was blessed with five children, namely:

Isaac Kauffman, page 139

Amos Kauffman, page 140

Henry Kauffman, born December 1863, died 1 year, 10 months and 2 days

Fanny Kauffman, page 141, married Menno Reist

Elam Kauffman, page 140

Susie Kauffman, page 141

Lizzie K., the widow of H. H. Huber married January 12, 1893, to Joseph C. Buckwalter. He was born October 18, 1832. They are residing south of Kissel Hill.

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Isaac K. Huber, first son of Henry H. and Elizabeth (Kauffman) Huber, of the eighth generation, was born in Pa., August 17, 1859, married October 23, 1879 in Pa., to Mare, daughter of Jacob Stern, of Manheim, Pa. She was born March 13, 1862. They first resided in Warwick, Pa., and in 1889 they emigrated to Decatur Co., Cook Township, Kansas, where they are residing at present. They have nine children:

Titus M., born September 4, 1880

James A. Garfield, born September 12, 1881, died September 28, 1881, aged 16 days

Howard S., born November 9, 1882

Louis Wayne, born December 9, 1884

Minerva, born April 11, 1887

Mary, born March 2, 1889

Elizabeth, born April 27, 1891

Ruth, Born March 4, 1893

Paul Noah, born March 7, 1895

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Amos K. Huber, second son of Henry and Lizzie (Kauffman) Huber, of the eighth generation, was born August 18, 1861; married August 25, 1891, to Mary A., daughter of John

3. Stroh, of Manheim Borough, Pa. She was born July 11, 1871. They are residing at Manheim Borough and are the parents of 3 children:

Maud Elizabeth, born July 14, 1892

Henry Stanley, born September 4, 1893

Amy Marie, born August 8, 1895

Elam K. Huber, third son of Henry and Lizzie (Kauffman) Huber, of the eighth generation, was born November 11, 1869, in Warwick, Lanc. Co., Pa. He went to Wendell Township, Thomas Co., Kansas in 1891, where he married in 1893, Belle, daughter of Henry and Martha Anthony of Pa. Belle was born in Morrito Co., Mo., August 19, 1872. They are residing in Wendell Township, Thomas Co., Kansas. They have one son:
Lloyd Born May 23, 1894

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Fanny K. Huber, eldest daughter of Henry and Elizabeth (Kauffman) Huber of the eighth generation was born May 24, 1867, married in 1886, Menno G. Reist, son of Benj. Reist near Petersburg. He was born August 3, 1865. They first resided near Roseville, Pa., thence they went to Decatur Co., Cook Township, Kansas in the year of 1894, where they are now residing and they have 5 children:

Elam H., born January 18, 1887

B. Horace H., born July 31, 1889

Melo H., born January 11, 1890

Norman I., born September 26, 1891

Dora E., born March 2, 1893

Susie K. Huber, second daughter of Henry H. and Elizabeth (Kauffman) Huber, of the eighth generation, was born May 4, 1873, married December 20, 1894, Monroe, son of Peter V. Hackman, who died January 23, 1892. Monroe was born June 9, 1869. They are residing at Akron. They are the parents of one son:

Lawrence H., born September 16, 1895

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Abraham H. Huber, second son of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born December 21, 1841, married in 1862, Harriet B., daughter of Jacob and Mary (Balmer) Stauffer, near Petersburg, Pa. She was born March 24, 1845. They resided one mile north of Lititz on the old Huber home place where he died October 12, 1891, aged 46 years, months and 18 days. She was interred at Hess' Church. They were blessed with nine children, namely:

Jacob S., born March 3, 1863, died March 10, 1872,
aged nine years and 7 days
Agnes S., born September 25, 1864, died August 7,
1865, aged 10 months and 12 days
Phares S., born July 10, 1867, died August 24, 1867
aged 1 month and 14 days
Mary S., married Henry H. Bomberger, page 54
Clayton S., born February 21, 1870, died March 17,
1870, aged 24 days
Ellen S., born March 22, 1874, is single and living
with her father
Amanda S., born November 15, 1876, died aged 11 days
November 26, 1876
Emma S., born July 28, 1878, died aged 29 days
Abraham S., born April 2, 1880, is living with his father

The dead are all buried in Hess' cemetery.

On October 24, 1894, A. H. Huber married his second wife, Lydia Hoover, daughter of the late Deacon Jacob Hoover of Rainham, Haldman Co., Ontario. She was born December 12, 1856.

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Samuel B. Huber, third son of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born August 12, 1851, married Anna E. Galaway of Fountain Co., Indiana. They are blessed with one child, namely:

Dale G., born February 7, 1891

Jacob R. Hershey, son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Reist) Hershey, was born March 4, 1836, married October 9, 1856, Fanny, daughter of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, near Lititz, of the seventh generation, born March 1, 1840. They are at the present residing in the village of Warwick and are the parents of 6 children, namely:

Sabilla H., page 145, married Franklin Martzall

Jacob H., page 144

Isaac H., page 144

Susan H., page 146, married Nathan C. Keller

Henry H., page 145

Amos H., born December 1, 1874

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Rev. Jacob H. Hershey, first son of Jacob and Fanny (Huber) Hershey of Lititz, Pa., of the eighth generation, was born October 14, 1862, in Lanc. Co., Pa.; Married December 8

1885, Carrie B. Sutton, daughter of Reuben Sutton born in Fayette Co., Pa., in 1832. Carrie was born in Pa., September 27, 1864. They are residing near Olathe, Kansas, since 1885, which is 21 miles south of Kansas City. He (Jacob) was ordained February 5, 1893, as a minister of the Gospel in the Old Mennonite Church. They have 2 children:

Grace S., born in Kansas, August 13, 1887

Willard S., born in Kansas, August 16, 1890

Isaac H. Hershey, second son of Jacob and Fanny (Huber) Hershey of Lititz, Pa., of the eighth generation, was born in Pennsylvania, July 30, 1865; married Maggie Medora Huston, daughter of Thomas C. Huston, who was born in Ohio in 1841. Maggie was born in Benton Co., Mo., July 15, 1874. They are residing near Olathe, Kansas, having 2 sons named:

Howard H., born in Johnson Co., Kansas, September 24, 1894

Paul H., born in Johnson Co., Kansas, December 11, 1895

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Henry H. Hershey, third son of Jacob and Fanny (Huber) Hershey, residing at Warwick, of the eighth generation, was born March 9, 1872. He married Ella A. Hostetter, daughter of Jacob and Sarah Hostetter, of Manheim. She was born May 20, 1870. They are residing at Manheim Borough and are the parents of 3 children, named:

F. Mabel, born September 5, 1891

E. Grace, born February 27, 1894

J. Harry, born August 29, 1895

Franklin P. Martzall, son of Samuel and Barbara Martzall, was born July 28, 1853, married Sabilla H., daughter of Jacob and Fanny (Huber) Hershey, of Warwick, of the eighth generation, was born (Sabilla) December 28, 1857. They are residing near East Petersburg, Pa. They have 3 children:

Lizzie H., born October 7, 1877

Elmer H., born July 31, 1880, died January 30, 1884, aged 3 years, 5 months and 30 days

Milton H., born April 7, 1887

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Susan H. Hershey, second daughter of Jacob and Fanny (Huber) Hershey, of the eighth generation, was born May 13, 1868, married Nathan C., son of Samuel and Fannie Keller. He was born September 30, 1866. Their union was blessed with 5 children named:

F. Mabel, born June 24, 1888
Stillborn son, born December 31, 1889
Samuel, born November 16, 1891
Florence, born June 13, 1894
Jacob, born May 3, 1895

Daniel E. Pifer, eldest son of Christ and Elizabeth (Erb) Pifer, was born November 14, 1842, married August 21, 1862, Marie, second daughter of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, north of Lititz of the seventh generation, was born, (Maria) April 4, 1844. They are residing north of Petersburg at his father's old home place. They have 5 children:

Monroe H., page 147

Phares H., born July 7, 1865, he is unmarried

Lizzie H., married Jacob Kreider, page 148

Daniel H., page 147

Harry H., born January 19, 1873, died January 1876, aged 3 years and 1 day, interred at the Petersburg Mennonite cemetery

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Monroe H. Pifer, first son of Daniel and Maria (Huber) Pifer, of the eighth generation, was born January 24, 1863, married November 19, 1885, Lydia Ann, daughter of Benj. Groff, residing near Mellinger's Mennonite Church. She was born June 9, 1865. They are residing near Mellinger's Mennonite meeting house. Their union was blessed with 4 children:

Lillie, born September 24, 1886

Harry, born April 27, 1888

Monroe, born March 20, 1891

Bessie, born October 24, 1894

Daniel H. Pifer, third son of Daniel and Maria (Huber) Pifer of the eighth generation was born October 1, 1870, married January 21, 1892, Fanny, daughter of Martin Harnish, near New Danville, Pa. She was born October 12, 1865. They are residing in the vicinity of New Danville. They have one daughter, named:

Ada May, born February 19, 1894

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Lizzie H. Pifer, the only daughter of Daniel and Maria (Huber) Pifer, of the eighth generation, was born December 26, 1867, married October 29, 1889, Jacob C. Kreider, son of Jacob Kreider of near Rohrerstown. He was born September 20, 1867. They are residing near Rohrerstown and their union was blessed with 2 children:

Daniel, born August 17, 1890

Annie Maria, born August 5, 1892, died March 29, 1893, aged 7 months and 24 days, interred at the Rohrerstown Mennonite cemetery

Susan H. Huber, fourth daughter of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born February 5, 1849. She resided in East Petersburg and never married.

Kate H. Huber, third daughter of Isaac Huber, was born December 31, 1846. She resided with her sister and died unmarried, May 8, 1890, aged 43 years, 4 months and 7 days. Interred at the Petersburg Church.

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Sarah H. Huber, fifth daughter of Isaac and Susan (Hess) Huber, of the seventh generation, was born September 6, 1854, married in 1872, John Loose, son of David Loose, of Reinholds-ville. He was born September 16, 1850. They resided at his father's place, then later in Warwick, Pa., where she died December 15, 1881, aged 27 years, 3 months and 9 days. Interred at Hess' Church. They had 6 children:

Susan H., page 149

Emma H., page 149

Monroe H., born September 1, 1876

Alvin H., born October 18, 1878

John H., born October 24, 1880

Stephen H., born November 14, 1881

Susan H. Loose, first daughter of John and Sarah (Huber) Loose, now residing at Rothsville, Pa., of the eighth generation, was born July 31, 1873, married March 19, 1893, Reuben Hollinger, son of Samuel Hollinger, 2 miles north of the city of Lancaster. He was born April 13, 1872. Their union was blessed with one daughter:

Bertha, born March 25, 1895

Emma H. Loose, second daughter of John and Sarah (Huber) Loose of Rothsville, of the eighth generation, was born January 1, 1875, married September 5, 1895, Harry J. Graybill, son of Adam Graybill, of Newton, Kansas. He was born June 17, 1874.

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Joel Eby, second son of Peter Eby of Penn Township, was born March 20, 1821, married 1842, Hettie, third daughter of Henry, and Catharine (Huber) Hess, near Lititz, of the sixth generation. She was born October 24, 1823. They lived at

his father's home place, near Erb's meeting house where he died April 19, 1880, aged 59 years, and 29 days, and she died May 8, 1888, aged 64 years, 6 months and 14 days. Their union was blessed with 5 children:

Maria H., page 150

Catherine H., page 155

Fanny H., born April 11, 1857, unmarried, resides at her father's home with Aaron Snyder

Lizzie H., page 153

Henry H., born August 4, 1854, died October 19, 1857, aged 3 years, 2 months and 15 days, interred at Erb's Church

Michael F. Hostetter, son of Christian and Catharine Hostetter, east of Petersburg, was born September 25, 1832. He married October 15, 1861, Maria H., daughter of Joel and Hettie (Hess) Eby, of the seventh generation. She was born September 29, 1842. They are residing west of Erb's Church, and are the parents of 6 children:

Annie E., page 151

Mary E., page 151

Susan E., page 152

Kate E., page 152

Levi E., born November 1, 1877, died March 10, 1880, aged 2 years, 4 months and 9 days

Ella E., born November 8, 1879

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Annie E. Hostetter, first daughter of Michael and Maria (Eby) Hostetter, of the eighth generation, was born November 12, 1862, married November 12, 1885, Amos W. Horst, son of Jacob and Martha Horst, resided southwest of Ephrata. He was born May 9, 1864. They are residing at his father's home place and are blessed with 4 children, namely:

Clayton H., born November 7, 1890

Emma H., born February 2, 1892

Ada H., born February 3, 1894

Maggie H., born February 11, 1896

Mary E. Hostetter, second daughter of Michael and Maria (Eby) Hostetter, of the eighth generation, was born June 15, 1865, married November 10, 1885, Benj. G. Kauffman, son of Benj. B. and Anna B. Kauffman, south of Petersburg. He was born October 31, 1860. They are residing north of Petersburg and are the parents of 3 children:

Katie H., born July 30, 1886

Irwin H., born June 5, 1889

Morris H., born August 30, 1892

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Susan E. Hostetter, third daughter of Michael and Maria Eby) Hostetter, of the eighth generation, was born June 13, 1868, married November 7, 1893, Gabriel E., son of Elias Nissley, of Mount Joy. He was born November 28, 1870. They are residing south west of Mount Joy.

Katie E. Hostetter, fourth daughter of Michael and Maria Eby) Hostetter, of the eighth generation, was born August 3, 1871, married November 22, 1892, Jacob N., son of John and Anna Kreider of East Petersburg. He was born August 24, 1870, residing south of Ehrisman's Church. (Mennonite) On August 7, 1895, he was caught by a wheel of his wagon on the road between said church and his home, which caused death inside of one hour, at the early age of 24 years, 11 months and 13 days. The widow now resided with her parents.

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John B. Huber, third son of John and Fanny (Buckwalter) Huber, deceased, at East Petersburg, Pa., was born July 28, 1844, married October 10, 1865, Catherine, second daughter of Joel and Hettie (Hess) Eby, of the seventh generation. She (Catharine) was born April 18, 1845. They are residing at Souverville, Pa., west of Erb's Mennonite Church. Have no children.

Aaron S. Snyder, son of John K. and Maria Snyder, of Carl Township, was born April 19, 1862, married October 18, 1887, Lizzie H., fourth daughter of Joel and Hettie (Hess) Eby, of the seventh generation. She was born May 9, 1864. They reside at Eby's old home, west of Erb's Church. Their union was blessed with 3 children:

John E., born September 19, 1888

Mary B., born February 1, 1891

Joel E., born March 7, 1894

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John H. Brubaker, son of Peter and Anna (Horst) Brubaker, one mile north of Snavelly's mill, Elizabeth Township, was born July 2, 1825, married October 30, 1849, Fanny, Hess, daughter of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess of the sixth generation, at the old Hess farm, east of Lititz. She was born November 25, 1826. They resided at his father's old home place, where he (John) died January 28, 1893, aged 67 years, 6 months and 26 days. Interred at the Hammer Creek Church. Their

union was blessed with 6 sons and 3 daughters, named:

Elias H., born September 17, 1850, died unmarried
January 28, 1872, aged 21 years, 4 months and
11 days

Henry H., born January 7, 1853, died aged 11 months

John H., page 155

Peter H., page 155

Reuben H., page 156

Anna H., page 156

Katie H., page 157

Nathan H., born December 20, 1867, died May 21,
1869, aged 1 year, 5 months and 1 day

He and Elias are interred along side their father in the
same graveyard.

Fanny H., born September 7, 1871. She is unmarried,
having her home with her mother.

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John H. Brubaker, third son of John H. and Fanny (Hess)
Brubaker, of the seventh generation, was born April 6, 1855,
married Adaline G., daughter of David and Catharine (Groff)
Erb. She was born September 3, 1856. They are residing north
of Lincoln, Pa. They have 5 children:

Wayne E., born January 13, 1878

Nathan E., born November 29, 1879, died March 16,
1889, aged 9 years, 3 months and 17 days

David E., born November 26, 1881

Cora E., born September 28, 1885, died March 14,
1889, aged 3 years, 5 months and 16 days

Lillie E., born January 17, 1887

Peter H. Brubaker, fourth son of John H. and Fanny (Hess)
Brubaker, of the seventh generation, was born September 25,
1857, married October 9, 1879, Lizzie B., daughter of John
and Eliza Ann (Brackbill) Risser, of Brunnerville. She was born
May 18, 1861. They are residing on the southern part of his
father's home place. They have 2 daughters:

Ellen R., born August 23, 1880

Ada R., born October 23, 1882

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Reuben E. Brubaker, fifth son of John H. and Fanny (Hess)
Brubaker of the seventh generation, was born June 31, 1860,
married 1886, Susan, daughter of Benj. and Fanny Bollinger,
north of Middle Creek Baptist meeting house. She was born
December 3, 1865. They are residing at his father's old home

place and their union was blessed with 4 children:

Hayden B., born June 22, 1887

Fanny B., born August 16, 1889

Elva B., born April 2, 1892

Annie B., born February 2, 1894

Annie H. Brubaker, first daughter of John H. and Fanny (Hess) Brubaker, of the seventh generation, was born January 12, 1863, married January 12, 1893, Henry Weidman, son of the late Henry A. and Mary E. Weidman near Reamstown, Pa. He was born September 1, 1858. They are residing one mile east of Stevens, Pa., having but one daughter named:

Alma B., born April 15, 1896

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Kate H. Brubaker second daughter of John H. and Fanny, (Hess) Brubaker of the seventh generation, was born September 3, 1865, married October 23, 1887, Phares Bollinger, son of Hiram and Barbara Bollinger, east of Wissler's mill. He was born October 17, 1866. They are residing southeast of Wissler's mill. They are blessed with 4 children:

Amelia B., born August 7, 1888

Fannie B., born August 12, 1890

Katie B., born June 5, 1892

Barbara B., born March 7, 1894

John S. Franck, first son of Christian and Catharine (Snyder) Franck, south of Kissel Hill, was born November 21, 1833, married September 29, 1857, Annie Hess, daughter of Henry and Catharine (Huber) Hess, east of Lititz, of the sixth generation. He was born January 11, 1839. They resided in Manheim Township, northwest of Neffsville, where he died July 24, 1878, aged 44 years, 8 months and 6 days. Their union was blessed with five children:

Amos H., page 158

Christian H., page 158

Henry H., born September 5, 1862, died August 22, 1885, aged 22 years, 11 months, and 17 days

John H., born June 2, 1869, died November 13, 1873, aged 4 years, 5 months and 11 days

Infant son, born and died June 5, 1865

All the dead are interred in the graveyard at Hess' Church.

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Amos H. Franck, first son of John S. and Annie (Hess) Franck of the seventh generation, was born October 26, 1858, married October 21, 1880, Annie S. Nissley, daughter of Benj.

and Susan H. (Stauffer) Nissley, deceased, west of Railroad Junction. She was born July 4, 1857. They are residing at his father's old home, northwest of Kissel Hill. They had 3 children:

Infant daughter, born and died February 1, 1882

E. Enos N., born August 18, 1884, died August 22, aged 4 days; interred at Petersburg Church

Ada N., born July 16, 1887

Christ H., Franck, second son of John S. and Fannie (Hess) Franck, of the seventh generation, was born November 24, 1860, married November 25, 1880, Annie B., daughter of Henry M. Neff, west of Millersville Mennonite Church. She was born February 28, 1863. They are residing at the east end of the old homestead, also northwest of Neffsville, and their union was blessed with two sons:

Phares N., born October 5, 1881

Harry N., born January 14, 1886

Here ends the record of Henry Hess, third son of Rev. John Hess, of the fourth generation. We now go back to the daughters of Rev. John Hess of the fourth generation.

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Joseph Eberly, son of Jacob Eberly, of Clay Township, near Durlach, was born October 22, 1794, married June 2, 1818, Susanna, daughter of Rev. John and Esther Hess, near Lititz, of the fifth generation. She was born December 29, 1795. They resided where she died May 28, 1868, aged 72 years, 4 months and 29 days and he (Joseph) died October 27, 1875, aged 81 years and 5 days. Their union was blessed with eleven children named:

Anna H., born April 12, 1819. She was never married and died August 25, 1891, aged 72 years, 4 months and 13 days

Susanna, page 160

Jacob H., page 161

Joseph H., page 161

Isaac H., page 164

Henry H., born September 17, 1826, died April 22, 1833, aged 6 years, 7 months and 5 days

Fanny H., born January 7, 1829, died November 28, 1836, aged 7 years, 10 months and 21 days

Elias H., page 167

Levi H., page 171

Catharine, born January 17, 1834, died and unmarried January 16, 1888, aged 54 years and 1 day

John H., page 172

The dead of this family are all interred at the old Eberly family graveyard, at Durlach.

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Susanna H., Eberly, second daughter of Joseph and Susanna Eberly, of the sixth generation, was born September 7, 1820, and she, with her sisters Anna and Catharine never married. They lived together at Durlach, Lanc. Co., Pa., and on January 6, 1850, when Susanna was about 29 years of age she was attacked with typhoid fever, turning into nerval and spinal disease, so that she was quite helpless and her voice so weak that she could not more than whisper for many years. In the mean time she had to suffer from many different diseases, such as la grippe, small, etc., but after bearing all these trials and temptations, patiently 41 years, 8 months and 23 days, she went asleep on September 11, 1891 aged 71 years and 4 days. God bless her.

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Jacob H. Eberly, first son of Joseph and Susanna Eberly of the sixth generation was born January 18, 1822, married Catharine Brubaker, daughter of John Brubaker, residing at Brunnerville, Pa. They emigrated to Williams Co., Ohio, where they resided with their family and where he (Jacob) died. Their union was blessed with six children:

- Henry B., married and died, having 5 children
- Samuel B., married have 3 children
- Jacob B., married, no children
- David B., married having 2 children
- Annie B., married
- Susanna B., married

Joseph H. Eberly, second son of Joseph and Susanna Eberly, of the sixth generation, was born March 18, 1823, married Elizabeth Brubaker, daughter of John Brubaker, of Brunnerville, Pa. She was born March 13, 1825. They resided at Lexington Warwick Township, Pa., where he (Joseph) died, April 7, 1861, aged 38 years, 1 month and 9 days. She died September 21, 1864, aged 39 years, 1 month and 8 days. Interred at the Durlach graveyard. Their union was blessed with 5 children:

- Catherine B., born 1846, died about 1849, aged 3 years
- Susanna B., page 163
- Joseph B., page 162
- John B., page 162
- Jonas B., page 163

Joseph B. Eberly, first son of Joseph H. and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Eberly of the seventh generation, was born March 16, 1851, married G. E. She was, born December 13, 1851. They had 2 children:

Annie E., born August 30, 1876

Susanna E., born August 20, 1879

John B. Eberly, second son of Joseph H. and Elizabeth (Brubaker) Eberly of the seventh generation, was born October 4, 1853, married February 5, 1880, Fannie S. Schmuck, daughter of Gideon Schmuck. She was born December 11, 1857. They are residing northwest of Lincoln, Pa. They have 9 children:

Gideon S., born May 18, 1881

Benj. S., born January 1, 1883

John S., infant son, born and died September 23, 1884

Casper S., born August 24, 1885

Amos S., born August 4, 1887

Bertha S., born September 23, 1889

Wayne S., born March 27, 1891

Milton S., born October 23, 1893

Katie S., born October 10, 1895

Jonas B. Eberly, third son of Joseph and Elizabeth Eberly deceased, at Lexington, of the seventh generation, was born April 17, 1859. He married April 13, 1879, Fannie Dobbens, of Lititz Borough. She was born June 29, 1860. They are residing 1 mile east of Lititz. They have 2 children:

Elizabeth D., born November 3, 1879

Samuel D., born November 21, 1884, died March 13, 1888, aged 3 years, 3 months and 22 days; interred at Hess' cemetery

Susanna B. Eberly, second daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Eberly of the seventh generation, was born October 17, 1848, married William Rhoads in 1872. They emigrated to Williams Co., Ohio, in 1873, where they reside and they have 8 children of whom 4 are living and 4 are dead. The living are named as follows:

Deborah E.

John E.

Willie E.

Eddie E.

Isaac H. Eberly, third son of Joseph and Susanna Eberly, of the sixth generation, was born December 31, 1824, married August 24, 1847, Barbara Brubaker, daughter of Daniel Brubaker. She was born July 19, 1830. They resided north of Murlach, where she died October 8, 1863, aged 33 years, 2 months and 19 days. Their union was blessed with 8 children:

Henry B., page 165

Isaac B., page 165

Daniel B., page 166

Moses B., died aged 1 year

Martha died October 20, 1863, aged 6 months

Barbara died February 20, 1863 aged 3 years, 6 months and 24 days

Catharine died December 31, 1862, aged 8 years, 10 months and 23 days

March 26 an infant child died aged 2 months

The dead of this family are all interred in the old Eberly graveyard, in Pennsylvania.

He (Isaac) married his second wife, Maria, daughter of Rev. John Bomberger, near Shippensburg, Cumberland Co., Pennsylvania, supposed in 1865. Since that time they reside near Shippensburg, Pa. They had six children:

Joseph, born September 5, 1866

Rebecca, born February 2, 1868

Sarah, born October 1, 1870

These were born in Cumberland Co., Pa. Then they moved to Franklin Co., Pa., east of Chambersburg, where they are now residing.

Jacob, born May 20, 1874

Reuben, born August 11, 1876

Benj., born September 8, 1878

These were born in Franklin Co., Pa.

Henry B. Eberly, first son of Barbara and Isaac Eberly of the seventh generation, was born June 29, 1848, married Susan daughter of Peter Althouse. They resided at Brunnerville, where he died March 16, 1886, aged 37 years, 8 months and 16 days. Their union was blessed with 3 children, namely:

Emma A.

Mary A.

Kate A.

Isaac B. Eberly, second son of Isaac and Barbara Eberly

of the seventh generation, was born July 28, 1850. He married Katie Leese. They have 3 children:

Henry L., born August 20, 1882, in Breda, Carroll Co., Iowa.

Edgar L., born July 10, 1885, in Johnstown, Brown Co., Neb.

Hettie Alma, born February 9, 1889 in Johnstown, Brown Co., Neb.

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Daniel B. Eberly, third son of Isaac and Barbara Eberly of the seventh generation, was born March 20, 1852. He married April 1, 1876, Amanda, daughter of Peter and Sarah Heffley, of Schoeneck, Pa. She was born August 19, 1852. They residing in Brunnerville, Warwick Township. They had seven children:

Ada H., born November 14, 1877, married Hayden Carper. They are residing at Brunnerville.

Anna H., born December 25, 1879

Sarah H., born November 22, 1881

Ira H., born August 4, 1883

Jacob H., born December 6, 1885

Menno H., born May 15, 1888

Elmer H., born December 29, 1891

Ada H. Eberly, first daughter of Daniel and Sarah Eberly of the eighth generation, was born November 14, 1877. She married Hayden Carper, son of Jacob and Elizabeth Carper, of Lititz. He was born August 12, 1873. They resided at Brunner ville and have one daughter named:

Mary E., born May 20, 1895

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Elias H. Eberly, fifth son of Joseph and Susanna Eberly of the sixth generation, was born July 2, 1830. He married Mary Ann Miller, of Durlach, in 1857. She was born July 26, 1838. They resided at Durlach, at the old Eberly home place where he died January 17, 1893, aged 62 years, 6 months and 15 days. Their union was blessed with ten children, named:

Annie M., page 170

Peter M., page 168

Nathan M., page 168

Amos M., born July 13, 1864. He is unmarried and living with his mother at Durlach.

Mary M., born December 9, 1866, died October 23, 1870, aged 3 years, 10 months and 14 days. In

tered at the old Eberly graveyard.

Harvey M., page 169

Elias M., page 169

Cora M., page 170

Henry M., born November 1, 1874, single

Lizzie M., born June 8, 1877, unmarried, residing with her mother

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(Peter M. Eberly, first son of Elias and Mary Ann (Miller) Eberly, of Durlach, of the seventh generation, born December 1, 1859, then went to Ohio March 7, 1882 and Married December 14, 1884, Leah, daughter of Jacob and Annie Leight. She was born April 10, 1865. They are residing at Greenburg, Ohio. They had six children:

Joseph L., born January 9, 1887

Elias L., born April 27, 1888

Ida L., born December 15, 1889

Leroy L., born August 4, 1891

Harvey L., born February 24, 1893

Paul L., born April 19, 1895

Nathan M. Eberly, second son of Elias and Mary Ann (Miller) Eberly, of the seventh generation, was born March 11, 1862. He married March 11, 1886, Annie, daughter of Rudolph and Susanna Reidenbach, residing near Hinkletown, Lancaster Co., Pa. She was born December 24, 1864. They are at present residing at Mascot, Lanc. Co., Pa. They have 4 children:

Elsie R., born November 28, 1886

Rudolph R., born August 30, 1888

Abner R., born January 17, 1891

George R., born September 29, 1893

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Harvey M. Eberly, fourth son of Elias and Mary Ann Eberly of the seventh generation, was born October 16, 1868. He married February 26, 1893, Lizzie, daughter of Jacob and Harriet Minnich, residing southwest of Lititz. She was born November 11, 1869. They are also residing near Lititz at present having but one child:

Hiram M., born March 21, 1894

Elias M. Eberly, fifth son of Elias and Mary Ann Eberly, of the seventh generation, was born in Lanc. Co., Pa., November 20, 1870. He went to Ohio November 18, 1889, where

he married December 10, 1893, Emma, daughter of Henry and Rebecca Loose, near West Lodin, Ohio. She was born January 24, 1874. They are residing at Bellevue, Ohio. Their union was blessed with 2 children:

Letha L., born October 12, 1894, died February 18, 1896, aged 1 year, 4 months and 6 days

Henry L., born January 13, 1896

She (Emma) died January 13, 1896, aged 21 years, 11 months and 29 days

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Anna M. Eberly, first daughter of Elias and Mary Ann Eberly, of Durlach, of the seventh generation was born March 4, 1858. She married December 13, 1877, Samuel H. Sensenig, son of John M. and Magdalena Sensenig, of East Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa. He was born May 22, 1857. At present residing at Stony Creek mills, Berks Co., Pa., they have nine children:

Elias E., born June 1, 1879, West Earl Township

Infant son, born and died April 13, 1882

Annie E., born September 21, 1883, died January 19, 1895

Mary E., born January 29, 1885

Lizzie E., born July 14, 1886, died March 4, 1888

John E., born October 29, 1887

Clayton E., born December 18, 1890

Harry E., born October 10, 1892

Katie E., born March 15, 1894, died June 19, 1895

Cora M. Eberly, third daughter of Elias and Mary Ann Eberly, of Durlach, of the seventh generation, was born May 6, 1872. She married Benj., son of Benj. and Lizzie Snavelly. He was born December 21, 1872. At present residing east of Brunnerville. They are the parents of 2 children:

Elias E., born February 10, 1895, died April 7, 1895, aged 1 month and 29 days; interred at the Hammer Creek Church

Milton E., born January 11, 1896

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Levi H. Eberly sixth son of Joseph and Susanna Eberly, of Durlach of the sixth generation, was born July 2, 1831. He married in 1800 and some 50 to Miss Siebert, then emigrated to Williams Co., Ohio, where they resided and where she died

leaving 4 children named:

Joseph S., married, having 3 sons

John S., married, no children

Daniel S., married having no children

Nancy S., married, no children

These are living from his first wife, do not know of any death.

He (Levi) married his second wife, and had 9 children:

Joel E., married

Adam E., married

Samuel E., single

Levi E., single

Noah E., single

Libbie E., single

Katie E., single

Martha and Maggie E. are twins, single

He (Levi) died in August 1894, aged about 63 years.

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John H. Eberly, seventh son of Joseph and Susan Eberly of the sixth generation, was born May 1, 1836, married August 31, 1860, Catharine, daughter of David and Fanny (Metzler) Grubaker, near Schoeneck. She was born June 2, 1837. They are residing at Denver and have seven children:

Susan B., page 172

Abraham B., born January 15, 1862, in Clay Township.

He is unmarried and is residing in Jersey City, N. J.

Fannie B., page 173

Reuben B., born May 10, 1868, in Clay Township. He

is unmarried, residing in Baltimore, Md.

David B., page 173

Katie A., page 174

Lizzie B., page 174

Susan B. Eberly, first daughter of John H. and Catharine Eberly of the seventh generation, was born November 28, 1862. She married John, son of John and Sarah Smith. He was born January 28, 1857. They resided at Denver with 4 children:

John E., born September 9, 1886

Leonard E., born May 2, 1891

Robert E., born February 4, 1893.

Harry E., born September 15, 1894

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Fanny B. Eberly, second daughter of John H. and Catharine Eberly of the seventh generation, was born September 13,

1866, in Clay Township, Pa. She married July 31, 1892, Henry D., son of Philip and Katie Royer. He was born July 5, 1850. They are residing at Lincoln, Pa.

David B. Eberly, third son of John H. and Catharine Eberly of the seventh generation, was born February 1, 1870, in Clay Township, Pa. He married May 24, 1890, Sally, daughter of Samuel and Annie (Dissler) Wolf, She was born January 16, 1871. They are residing in Clay Township, Pa. They have one son, named:

Elmer W., born September 10, 1894

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Katie A. Eberly, third daughter of John H. and Catharine Eberly, of the seventh generation, was born September 21, 1874, in Williams Co., Ohio. She married June 5, 1892, John M., son of Henry and Susanna (Mumma) Royer. He was born November 29, 1871. They are residing at Lincoln, Pa.

Lizzie B. Eberly, fourth daughter of John H. and Catharine Eberly, of the seventh generation, was born February 16, 1877, in West Cocalico Township, Pa. She married September 1, 1895, Benj. F., son of Monroe and Susanna Mohler. He was born March 7, 1875. They are residing in East Petersburg, Lanc. Co., Pa.

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Christian Oberholtzer, first son of Samuel, near Rothsville Warwick Township, was born February 11, 1799. He married December 8, 1819, Annie Hess, daughter of Rev. John and Esther Hess, who resided 1 mile east of Lititz, of the fifth generation. She was born October 6, 1800. They resided at the Conestoga, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles northeast of Farmersville, where she died September 12, 1870, aged 69 years, 11 months and 6 days, and he died December 23, 1881, at the ripe age of 82 years, 1 month, and 12 days. They are interred at the Groffdale Church. Their union was blessed with 8 children, named:

Samuel and John H., were twins, born August 12, 1822

Samuel H. died May 8, 1842, aged 20 years, 1 month and 27 days

John H., page 176

Hettie H., born July 23, 1827. Was never married but resides with her sister Anna.

Martin H., born December 3, 1831, died unmarried September 27, 1853, aged 21 years, 9 months and 24 days

The deceased of this family are all interred in the Groffdale cemetery.

Anna H., page 181

Christian, page 179

One child died in infancy

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John H. Oberholtzer (a twin), son of Christian and Anna Hess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation, was born August 12, 1821. He married Anna, daughter of Daniel Groff, of Leacock Township. She was born October 10, 1822. They resided near his father's old home, northeast of Farmersville, where he died January 7, 1864, aged 42 years, 4 months and 26 days. She died December 18, 1886, aged 64 years, 2 months and 8 days. Interred at the Groffdale Church. They were the parents of 5 children, named:

Mary Martha, page 177

Franklin G., page 176

Susan G., page 177

John G., born June 5, 1860, died March 1861, aged 9 months and 14 days

Emma G., page 177

Franklin G. Oberholtzer, first son of John H. and Anna Groff) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation, was born November 7, 1856. He married Mary Elizabeth Heiskeal. She was born July 30, 1864. They are residing at No. 216 rear, West Lemon Street, Lancaster. They are the parents of 5 children:

Edward H., born December 29, 1884

Emma May, born November 29, 1887

Florence H., born November 19, 1890

Reid H., born September 30, 1892, lived 21 days

Myrtle Amelia, born May 27, 1890

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Mary Martha Oberholtzer, first daughter of John H. and, Anna (Groff) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation, was born November 10, 1852. She married February 22, 1876, Jacob Echman, son of Jacob and Anna Weaver of Strasburg Township. He was born October 24, 1847. Their union was blessed with 4 children:

Ira Franklin, born January 26, 1877, died September 2, 1892, aged 15 years, 7 months and 25 days

Annie May, born June 6, 1878

Emma Susan, born May 30, 1883

Henry Clay, born January 1, 1885

Susan A. Oberholtzer, second daughter of John H. and Anna (Groff) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation, was born in Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., September 4, 1858. She married October 29, 1883, in St. Peter's Church, Philadelphia, Frederick C. Krouse. He was born in Philadelphia, January 19, 1857. They are residing now at 1732 South 13th Street, Philadelphia and their union was blessed with 3 children:

Enos Trymby, born August 4, 1884, died October 16, 1884

Frederick, born August 28, 1885

Albert G., born June 14, 1888

Emma G. Oberholtzer, third daughter of John H. and Anna (Groff) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born in Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., May 6, 1862. She married April 10, 1894, Lewis A. Bernhard. He was born May 1, 1859 at Philadelphia, where they resided. No children:

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Henry H. Oberholtzer, third son of Christian and Anna (Hess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation, was born July 23, 1825, married October 23, 1855, Lavina, daughter of the late deceased Jacob Reist, near Oregon, Manheim Township, Pa. She was born August 13, 1834. They emigrated West in the spring of 1856, arriving at Council Bluffs, Iowa, on the 6th of April at 6 o'clock a.m., where they are now residing. They have 4 children, named:

Henry R., born in the city of Council Bluffs, February 1, 1859, married December 20, 1881, Rose Curl
Their union was blessed with one son, born February 1, 1883.

Anna L., born July 14, 1861, married August 17, 1891,
Reuben H. Bloomer

Clarence Monroe, born December 20, 1864

Ida May, born November 14, 1866, married January 10, 1889, John P. David

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Christian H. Oberholtzer, fifth son of Christian and Anna (Hess) Oberholtzer, of the sixth generation, was born May 11, 1837. He married September 24, 1863, Elizabeth B., daughter of the late Jacob Brubaker, of Upper Leacock Township, Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born January 18, 1842. They are residing in Earl Township at his father's old home place, where she died March 23, 1871, aged 29 years, 2 months and 5 days. She

interred at the Groffdale Church. Their union was blessed with sons, named:

Jacob B., page 180

Christian B., born September 3, 1869. He is unmarried residing with his father.

On May 26, 1872, he (Christian) married his second wife Lydia, daughter of Franklin Weaver, of East Earl Township. He was born June 12, 1845. He has one son and one daughter from his second wife:

Henry W., born September 15, 1873

Anna Mary, born May 5, 1876

These are unmarried living with their parents.

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Jacob B. Oberholtzer, first son of Christian and Elizabeth (Grubaker) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born June 5, 1864. He married January 8, 1885, Fianna, W. daughter of John and Elizabeth Martin, of Earl Township. She was born April 28, 1865. They are residing 2 miles northeast of Farmersville. Their union was blessed with 4 children:

Lizzie M., born December 6, 1887

Elmer M., born August 9, 1889

Ivin M., born June 22, 1892

Alta M., born February 11, 1894

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Henry Moyer, son of Daniel and Barbara Moyer, resided one mile northwest of Bearville, West Earl Township, Lanc. Co., Pa., was born December 28, 1826. He married November 10, 1859, Anna H., second daughter of Christian and Anna (ess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation. She was born March 2, 1834. They reside in West Earl Township, on the Lanc. road between Farmersville and Brownstown. They have 1 son and 2 daughters:

Anna O., page 181

Daniel O., born March 2, 1863, died November 19, 1884, aged 21 years, 8 months and 17 days

Ella B., born December 21, 1873, died February 28, 1889, aged 15 years, 2 months and 7 days

They are interred in the Groffdale cemetery.

Anna O. Moyer, first daughter of Henry and Anna (Oberholtzer) Moyer, of the seventh generation, was born August 8, 1860. She married in 1880, Charles E., son of Samuel Seldomridge of Farmersville. He was born January 14, 1858. They are residing at the Hinkletown mill and their union was with

one son:

Melvin M., born October 15, 1883

Here ends the record of Christian and Anna (Hess) Oberholtzer and their offspring.

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Samuel Oberholtzer, a brother to Christian, son of Samuel Oberholtzer, was born December 25, 1802. He married in May 1829, Martha, third daughter of Rev. John and Esther Hess who resided one mile east of Lititz, at the old home place now occupied by Rev. J. H. Hess, of the fifth generation. She was born July 17, 1805. They resided near Rothsville, Warwick Township, where she died April 27, 1861, aged 55 years, 9 months and 10 days, and he died June 10, 1875, aged 72 years and 5 months. They are interred at Hess' Church. Their union was blessed with 5 sons and 6 daughters, as follows:

Hetty, page 195

Jacob, page 183

Martha, page 198

Catharine, Page 198

Elizabeth, page 202

Anna, born November 14, 1834, died January 18, 1861, aged 29 years, 2 months and 4 days. She was never married. Interred at Hess' Church.

Samuel H., pages 185, 186

John H., page 190

Joseph H., page 193

Henry H., page 194

Susanna, page 204

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Jacob H. Oberholtzer, first son of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer of Rothsville, of the sixth generation, was born June 25, 1826, married in 1850 Maria, daughter of the late deceased Christian and Catharine Hostetter, residing east of Petersburg. She was born May 16, 1830. They first resided east of Millway, on the premises where the oil tanks are now erected, from there they moved to East Petersburg, Lanc. Co. Pa., and in 1868 he moved with his family to Juniata Co., Pa. where she (Maria) died February 7, 1892, aged 62 years, 10 months and 21 days. He (Jacob) died May 21, 1888, aged 61 years, 10 months and 26 days. They are interred at Shelly's Church. Their union was blessed with 4 children, named:

Samuel, page 183

Catharine, page 184

Annie, page 184

Christian H., born August 24, 1866, died November 5, 1871

Samuel H. Oberholtzer, first son of Jacob and Maria (Hostetter) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born February 3, 1855, married in 1881, Mary, daughter of Reuben Sawyer of Juniata Co., Pa. She was born May 5, 1857. They are residing at Milroy, Mifflin Co., Pa., and have 6 children:

Edna, born November 15, 1882

Albert, born January 13, 1885

Nora, born July 12, 1887

Reuben, born December 20, 1889

Samuel, born April 19, 1892

Maria, born March 12, 1894

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Catharine Oberholtzer, first daughter of Jacob and Maria (Hostetter) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation, was born January 22, 1851. She married in 1871, Henry, son of Jacob Sawyer, of Juniata Co., Pa. He was born July 1, 1840. They resided in Juniata Co., Pa. He (Henry) died July 12, 1893. Their union was blessed with 10 children:

Mary, born March 28, 1873

Jacob, born October 13, 1874

Infant son, born February 11, 1877, died February 24, 1877

John, born January 28, 1878

Katie, born July 13, 1880

Henry, born February 24, 1883

Foster, born October 24, 1885

Milton, born March 6, 1888

Samuel, born January 18, 1891

William, born October 27, 1893

Anna Oberholtzer, second daughter of Jacob and Maria (Hostetter) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born October 15, 1863, married in 1883, Johnson, of David Weaver of Juniata Co., Pa. He was born July 29, 1858. They are residing in Juniata Co., Pa., and have six children:

Jacob, born December 19, 1884

Aaron, born December 25, 1886

Catharine, born April 30, 1889

Ella and Emma, twins, born November 12, 1891

David, born March 11, 1894

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Samuel H. Oberholtzer, second son of Samuel and Martha

(Hess) Oberholtzer of Rothsville, of the sixth generation, was born April 28, 1836, married September 29, 1859, Maria E., daughter of Abram Reist, near Manheim. She was born December 19, 1839. They resided east of Millway, at the farm where the oil tanks are now erected, where she died December 18, 1864, aged 24 years, 11 months and 20 days. Interred at Hess' cemetery. She was the mother of one daughter and two sons, named:

Annie R., page 188

Menno R., page 187

Nathan R., page 187

On January 23, 1866, he (Samuel) married his second wife Rebecca S., daughter of Jacob Brubaker Chapman, Snyder Co. Pa. She was born January 2, 1839 and their union was blessed with 6 children:

Sarah B., page 189

Samuel H. and his family and his brother Jacob, emigrated to Juniata Co., Pa., in March 1868, where they resided near Richfield, and there was born:

Samuel B., page 188

Jacob B., born May 1, 1870

Lizzie B., page 189

Joseph B., born April 9, 1874, died same day

Catharine B., born January 13, 1876

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Rebecca S., second wife of Samuel H. Oberholtzer died January 13, 1876, aged 37 years and 11 days. Interred at Shelley's Church, Juniata Co., Pa.

On June 6, 1876 he (Samuel) married his third wife, Sarah B., daughter of David B. Weaver of Mexico, Juniata Co., Pa. She was born March 26, 1842. She was the mother of 4 children:

Mary W., born August 14, 1877

David W., born February 5, 1879

Magdalena, born November 27, 1880

Rebecca W., born September 10, 1882

He (Samuel H.) moved from Juniata Co., Pa., to Mifflin Co., Pa., in 1884, where his life ended November 2, 1888, aged 49 years, 6 months and 4 days.

He was interred at Shelley's Church.

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Menno R. Oberholtzer, first son of Samuel H. and Maria (Reist) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born April 13, 1862. He married January 22, 1885, Susan L., daughter

of William Auker, of Millerstown, Juniata Co., Pa. She was born October 26, 1859. They resided in Juniata Co., Pa., where he died August 13, 1890, aged 28 years and 4 months. Interred at Delaware Church. They had four children:

Maggie A., born November 1, 1885

Anna Laura, born March 2, 1887

Nettie May, born January 25, 1889

William Menno, born January 21, 1891

Nathan R. Oberholtzer, second son of Samuel H. and Maria (Reist) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation, was born March 26, 1864, married December 16, 1886, to Annie G., daughter of Isaac B. Kauffman, near Manheim, Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born September 7, 1862. They resided one mile east of Manheim. No children.

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Samuel B. Oberholtzer, son of Samuel and Rebecca (Brubaker) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born May 31, 1868, married October 16, 1890, Lizzie A., daughter of Jacob Weaver, of Mexico, Juniata Co., Pa. She was born September 22, 1868. They have 2 daughters, named:

Annie W., born December 21, 1891

Ellie W., born October 9, 1894

Annie R. Oberholtzer, only daughter of Samuel H. and Maria (Reist) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born July 13, 1860, married January 2, 1881, Daniel M., son of Joseph Brubaker, of Chapman, Snyder Co., Pa. He was born July 13, 1860. They are residing in Snyder Co., Pa., and have eight children:

Maria O., born December 25, 1881

Menno O., born August 28, 1883, died October 25, 1884, aged 1 year, 1 month and 27 days

Joseph O., born January 29, 1885

Anna O., born October 5, 1886, died March 25, 1890, aged 3 years, 5 months and 20 days

Sallie O., born January 13, 1889, died September 9, 1894, aged 5 years, 7 months and 26 days

Emma O., born April 14, 1890, died January 20, 1891, aged 9 months and 6 days

Samuel O., born November 16, 1891, died September 18, 1892, aged 10 months and 2 days

Interred in Brubaker's family graveyard.

William O., born October 2, 1895

Sarah B., Oberholtzer, first daughter of Samuel H. and Rebecca W. (Brubaker) Oberholtzer, of the seventh generation was born in Lanc. Co., Pa., November 27, 1866. She married January 6, 1887, Amos A., son of Daniel Martin, of New Holland, Lanc. Co., Pa. He was born October 28, 1862. They are residing near New Holland, Lanc. Co., Pa. They have 4 sons, named:

Clayton O., born April 17, 1888
Harvey O., born January 1, 1890
Daniel O., born February 19, 1893
Amos O., born September 21, 1895

Lizzie B. Oberholtzer, second daughter of Samuel H. and Rebecca W. (Brubaker) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation was born June 22, 1872. She married January 3, 1893, Marti B., son of Enos M. Stauffer, at Reidenbach's store, east of Hirkletown, Lanc. Co., Pa. He was born August 12, 1872. They are residing near New Holland, Lanc. Co., Pa. They are blessed with 2 sons:

Samuel O., born September 30, 1893
Enos O., born June 29, 1895

Here ends the record of Samuel H. Oberholtzer's family

John H. Oberholtzer, third son of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer, of Rothsville, sixth generation, was born November 21, 1839. He married December 2, 1862, Fianna, daughter of Christian Burkholder, residing one mile east of Lititz. She was born December 29, 1838. They resided east of Rothsville station, where she died August 22, 1891, aged 52 years 7 months and 23 days. Their union was blessed with 9 children:

Anna B., born December 3, 1868, died aged 1 day
Amos B., page 191
Lizzie B., page 191
Fianna B., page 192
John B., born July 19, 1870, died April 8, 1875, aged 4 years, 8 months and 19 days
Elam B., born June 2, 1872, died August 17, 1872, aged 2 months and 15 days
Sarah B., page 192
Samuel B., born August 8, 1878
Ada B., born January 16, 1882

The dead of this family are all interred at Hess' Church. On December 21, 1893, he married his second wife, Elizabeth

beth Martin, maiden name Weaver, from Earl Township; Lanc. Co., Pa., and in March 1895 he moved to Bearville with his wife and several of his children, where he now resides.

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Amos B. Oberholtzer, first son of John H. and Fianna (Burkholder) Oberholtzer, of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born August 20, 1863, married October 30, 1884, Barbara N., daughter of Abram and Nancy Stoner, south of Murrell. She was born September 1, 1862. They are residing east of Rothsville station, at his father's home. They have 6 children:

Annie S., born August 22, 1885
Hettie S., born September 27, 1888
Barbara S., born August 30, 1890
Katie S., October 4, 1892
Lizzie S., born April 1, 1894
John S., born November 6, 1895

Lizzie B. Oberholtzer, first daughter of John and Fianna Oberholtzer of Rothsville of the seventh generation, was born March 6, 1866. She married November 3, 1885, Jacob B., son of Jacob S. Burkholder, residing near Earlville. He was born May 19, 1862. They are residing near Earlville. They have 4 children, named:

John O. born March 3, 1887
Aaron O., born April 17, 1889
Mary O., born April 19, 1891, died March 28, 1895, aged 3 years, 11 months and 7 days
Noah O., born April 5, 1893

The dead are interred at Groffdale Church.

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Fianna B. Oberholtzer, second daughter of John H. and Fianna Oberholtzer, of Rothsville of the seventh generation, was born July 23, 1867. She married August 5, 1888, Elam F. Fahnestock. He was born July 2, 1864, in Ephrata Township, Lanc. Co., Pa. They are residing east of Millway. They are blessed with 3 children, named:

Reuben O., born March 29, 1890
Mary O., born October 23, 1892
Sadie O., born December 22, 1894, died January 12, 1895, aged 21 days; interred at Mohler's Church.

Sarah B. Oberholtzer, third daughter of John H. and Fianna Oberholtzer, of Rothsville, of the seventh generation, was born March 6, 1875. She married October 13, 1895, John, son of

Benj. Snavely, one mile north of Brunnerville, at Hammer Creek. He was born July 3, 1871. They reside with his father.

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Joseph H. Oberholtzer, fourth son of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation, was born August 17, 1842, married October 8, 1863, Mary, daughter of Rev. John and Barbara Risser of Brunnerville. She was born April 5, 1844. They are residing east of Vogansville and had four children:

Benj. R., born July 13, 1864, died August 17, 1864, aged 1 month and 4 days

Mary R., page 193

Annie R., page 194

Joseph R., born February 13, 1882

Mary R. Oberholtzer, first daughter of Joseph and Mary (Risser) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born December 16, 1868. She married December 26, 1889, David, son of Jacob W. and Susanna Nolt, near Vogansville. He was born February 23, 1869. They are residing east of Voganville with his father. They are the parents of 3 children:

Annie O., born July 4, 1891

Amanda O., born December 21, 1892

Samuel O., born July 10, 1895

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Annie R. Oberholtzer, second daughter of Joseph and Mary (Risser) Oberholtzer of the seventh generation, was born December 7, 1871. She married January 12, 1893, Abram N. son of Henry and Barbara Hoover, residing near Groffdale Church. He was born October 19, 1871. They are residing west of Vogansville. They are blessed with 2 children, named:

Mary O., born January 23, 1894

Henry O., born February 27, 1896

Henry H. Oberholtzer, fifth son of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation, was born October 29, 1845. He married October 7, 1868, Susanna, daughter of Israel Stauffer, deceased, residing near Farmersville. She was born December 12, 1849. They are residing west of Lincoln. Their union is blessed for 7 children:

Samuel S., born December 20, 1869

Isaac S., born August 6, 1871, died February 20, 1880, aged 8 years, 6 months and 14 days

Lydia S., born February 8, 1873

Henry S., born October 27, 1874, died February 24, 1880, aged 5 years, 3 months and 26 days

Israel S., born May 27, 1876

Jacob S., born November 11, 1878

Ida S., born September 7, 1886, died June 16, 1888, aged 1 year, 9 months and 9 days

The dead are all interred in Hess' Church.

Samuel S. is unmarried and left home for the west, February 14, 1893. He now resides in Butler Co., Nebraska, with Peter Burkholder, Octavia post office.

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Michael Martin, son of Daniel Martin, was born August 9, 1823, married Hettie H., daughter of Samuel and Martha Hess) Oberholtzer of Rothsville of the sixth generation, was born (Hettie) February 25, 1825. They resided between Earlville and Mechanicsburg, where she died April 13, 1865, aged 40 years, 1 month and 19 days and he died October 17, 1878, aged 55 years, 1 month and 18 days. Their union was blessed with eight children named:

Magdalena, born January 27, 1858, unmarried

Anna, born June 14, 1852, died unmarried, August 31, 1878, aged 26 years, 2 months and 17 days

Hettie, page 196

Michael, born March 4, 1855, died July 27, 1878, aged 23 years, 4 months and 23 days

Samuel O., page 196

Daniel O., born September 9, 1858, died June 6, 1878, aged 19 years, 8 months and 27 days

Lydia O., page 197

Catharine, born June 17, 1862

The dead of this family are interred in the Groffdale Church.

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Samuel O. Martin, second son of Michael and Hettie (Oberholtzer) Martin of the seventh generation, was born March 13, 1857. He married December 18, 1879, Martha, daughter of Jacob and Mary Musselman, southwest of New Holland. She was born November 20, 1858. They are now residing northwest New Holland. They have 7 children:

Mary Catherine, born November 2, 1880

Annie, born August 20, 1882

Amos M., born July 7, 1884

Ida, born November 26, 1886

Martha, born October 20, 1889

Norva, born May 11, 1892

Jacob S., born April 15, 1894, died January 22, 1896,
aged 1 year, 9 month and 7 days; interred at the
Groffdale Church

Hettie Martin, third daughter of Michael and Hettie (Oberholtzer) Martin, of the seventh generation, was born January 28, 1854, married September 1872, Christ Zimmerman of Lanc Co., Pa. She died September 20, 1880, aged 26 years, 7 months and 23 days. Their union was blessed with 4 children:

Jonas M., Page 197

Amos M., page 197

One son died June 17, 1873, aged 21 days

Anna O., died July 30, 1877, aged 1 year, 6 months and 7 days

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Jonas M. Zimmerman, first son of Christ and Hettie Zimmerman of the eighth generation, was born May 3, 1874. He married December 26, 1895, Mary A. Zimmerman of Lanc. Co. Pa. She was born August 23, 1866. No children.

Lydia Martin, fourth daughter of Michael and Hettie (Oberholtzer) Martin of the seventh generation, was born May 5, 1860. She married November 7, 1881, Joseph T. Shirk of Lanc. Co., Pa. He was born November 3, 1858. They have 6 children, named:

Hettie, born December 8, 1882

Annie, born April 21, 1885

Lizzie, born March 28, 1887

John, born July 14, 1889

Martha, born July 19, 1891

Katie, born September 20, 1893

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Joseph Martin, son of Rev. Abraham Martin, residing at Groffdale, was born December 28, 1823. He married January 18, 1848, Martha, daughter of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer of the sixth generation, of Rothsville, Pa. She was born August 3, 1828. They resided at Pequea where she died January 5, 1869, aged 40 years, 10 months and 2 days. Their union was blessed with eleven children:

Elizabeth O., page 201

Martha O., page 201

Anna O., page 201

Samuel O., page 199

Abraham O., born January 23, 1857, died May ,

1858, aged 9 months and 10 days
Infant son, born February 19, 1859, died aged 5 days
Joseph O., born February 24, 1860, died October 31,
1861, aged 1 year, 8 months and 7 days
Henry O., born June 19, 1862, died December 30,
1876, aged 14 years, 6 months and 11 days
Isaac O., born October 10, 1864, died October 1,
1872, aged 7 years, 11 months and 21 days
David O., born November 29, 1866, died March 13,
1875, aged 8 years, 3 months and 14 days
Infant son, born and died June 3, 1869

On September 6, 1870, he (Joseph) married his second wife, Catharine Oberholtzer a sister to his first wife. She was born September 26, 1830. They first resided at the same place, at Pequea, but moved to Bareville, Pa., where they are now residing. His second wife had only one daughter:

Susan O., born September 6, 1871, died March 30,
1872, aged 6 months and 24 days

The dead of this family are all interred at Hershey's cemetery, at Pequea.

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Samuel O. Martin, first son of Joseph and Martha (Oberholtzer) Martin of the seventh generation, was born January 29, 1855. He married November 19, 1876, Amanda, daughter of Levi and Mary (Buckwalter) Landis, of Intercourse. She was born September 22, 1854. They are residing at Pequea. They are the parents of fourteen children:

Mary L., born January 15, 1878

Hettie L., born March 17, 1879, died September 20,
aged 6 months and 3 days

Lizzie L., born September 6, 1880

Abram L., born October 31, 1881

Nettie L., born February 6, 1883

Lydia L., born May 26, 1884, died July 3, aged 1 month and 8 days

Emma L., born August 2, 1885

Landis L., born September 13, 1886, died August 5,
aged 10 months and 23 days

Amanda L., born November 17, 1887

Annie L., born June 16, 1889

Samuel L., born January 6, 1891

Eleanor L., born July 2, 1892, died August 21, aged
1 month and 20 days

Katie L., born June 25, 1893

Amos L., born April 1, 1895, died April 23

The dead of this family are all interred in Hershey's cemetery.

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Elizabeth O. Martin, first daughter of Joseph and Martha (Oberholtzer) Martin, of the seventh generation, was born January 15, 1846. She married November 4, 1869, John B., son of Henry and Barbara Keener, of Strasburg. He was born October 18, 1845. They are residing near Strasburg. They have eleven children:

Annie M., page 200

Barbara M., page 200

Lizzie M., born September 29, 1874

Martha M., born September 1, 1876

Henry M., born February 24, 1879

Catharine M., born January 28, 1881

Mary M., born December 18, 1882

John M., born August 8, 1885

Joseph M., born August 21, 1886, died aged 23 day

Emma M., born August 21, 1886

Amos M., born July 21, 1888

Francis M., born September 24, 1890, died August 30, 1891

Martin M., born October 1, 1892

Annie M. Keener, first daughter of John and Elizabeth (Martin) Keener, of eighth generation, was born January 1, 1871, married January 18, 1894, Amos, son of John Brubaker. He was born March 9, 1867. They are residing in Lancaster city. They had one son:

Willie K., born July 26, 1895

Barbara M. Keener, second daughter of John and Elizabeth (Martin) Keener, of the eighth generation, was born August 27, 1872. She married December 1, 1892, John, son of Emanuel Neff. He was born October 30, 1871. They are residing in Strasburg Township, Pa. They have one daughter, name:

Ida K., born June 24, 1895

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Martha O. Martin, second daughter of Joseph and Martha (Oberholtzer) Martin, of the seventh generation, was born August 15, 1850. She married November 25, 1875, Elam B., son of Levi and Mary (Buckwalter) Landis, of Intercourse. He was born October 6, 1850. There she (Martha) died May 1, 1886, aged 35 years, 8 months and 24 days. Interred at Me-

er's meeting house. Their union was blessed with six children:

Mary M., born September 7, 1876

Annie M., born June 22, 1878, died April 28, 1896,
aged 17 years, 10 months and 6 days

Emma M., born September 13, 1880

Martha M., born December 22, 1881

Ada Catharine, born January 29, 1884, died August
17, 1895, aged 11 years, 6 months and 19 days;
interred at Metzler's cemetery

Harry M., born March 28, 1886

Anna O. Martin, third daughter of Joseph and Martha (Oberholtzer) Martin, of the seventh generation, was born August 14, 1853. She married November 5, 1878, Benj. O., Crackbill, of Paradise Township, Pa. He was born September 9, 1848. They have seven children, named:

Martin H., born February 2, 1882

Edith Susan, born November 30, 1883

Abraham Benj., born January 23, 1885

Isaac Daniel, born April 15, 1886

Mary E., born May 12, 1887

Joseph E., born July 6, 1889

Moses A., born August 8, 1890

Christ Nolt, son of Jonas & Anna Nolt, near Akron, married Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer, near Rothsville, of the sixth generation. She was born September 22, 1832. They resided near Murrell, Pa., where he died April 24, 1877, aged 44 years, 7 months and 2 days. Their union was blessed with 3 children, named:

Jonas O., page 202

Nancy O., page 203

Samuel O., born September 28, 1856, died December
24, 1875, aged 19 years, 2 months and 26 days.

Interred at Metzler's Church.

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Jonas O. Nolt, first daughter of Christ and Elizabeth (Oberholtzer) Nolt, of the seventh generation, was born January 1, 1860, married November 28, 1880, Annie K., daughter of Leuben Eitnier. She was born January 11, 1864. They resided near Murrell, where she died May 27, 1893, aged 29 years, 4 months and 16 days. Interred at Steinmetz's meeting-house. Their union was blessed with 5 children, named:

David E., born November 11, 1881

Harry E., born June 12, 1884

Mary E., born February 28, 1887

Lizzie E., born December 27, 1889

Emma E., born September 23, 1892

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Nancy O. Nolt, daughter of Christian and Elizabeth (Oberholtzer) Nolt, of the seventh generation, was born May 12, 1854, married November 30, 1873, Jacob E., son of Samuel Holsinger, of Ephrata, Pa. He was born May 16, 1850. They resided near Murrell, Pa., where she died October 8, 1883, aged 29 years, 4 months, and 26 days. Their union was blessed with 5 children, named:

Lizzie N., born January 6, 1875, died aged 1 year
6 months and 25 days

Samuel N., page 203

Christian N., born January 13, 1879

Sallie N., born June 28, 1881, died aged 2 months
27 days

Annie N., born November 28, 1882

The dead of this family are interred at Steinmetz's meeting-house.

Samuel N. Holsinger, first son of Jacob and Nancy (Nolt) Holsinger, of the eighth generation, was born March 4, 1871, married Alice, daughter of Levi Stief, of Ephrata, November 11, 1894.

Here ends the record of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer and his generation.

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Abraham B. Huber, first son of Samuel and Fanny (Baker) Huber, of Rothsville, Pa., was born May 24, 1841, married September 23, 1869, Susan, daughter of Samuel and Martha (Hess) Oberholtzer, of Rothsville, Pa., of the sixth generation. She was born August 11, 1849. They resided north of Lincoln, where he (Abraham) died May 24, 1882, aged 40 years, interred at Hess' cemetery. Their union was blessed with six children, named:

Samuel O., born September 19, 1870, died February
17, 1871, aged 4 months and 28 days

Fanny O., page 204

Martha O., born March 5, 1873, died May 4, 1895,
aged 22 years, 1 month and 29 days

Susanna O., born January 14, 1875

John O., born July 26, 1877

Anna O., born August 24, 1881, died May 5, 1890,
aged 8 years, 8 months and 11 days

The dead of this family are all interred at Hess' Cemetery.

The widow of the late Abraham Huber is now residing in Farmersville.

Fanny O. Huber, first daughter of Abraham and Susanna, (Oberholtzer) Huber, of the seventh generation was born October 9, 1871, married November 28, 1895, Moses H., son of Roland Weiler, of East Earl Twp., Pa. He was born September 12, 1871.

This ends the record of Samuel and Martha Oberholtzer and their descendants.

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Rev. John Risser, son of Christian Risser, deceased, of Warwick Twp., Pa., who lived and died on the farm now occupied by Peter B. Hess, who was born May 23, 1801, married 1826, Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. John and Esther Hess, residing at the old Hess home, east of Lititz, of the fifth generation. She was born November 19, 1807. They resided at Hammer Creek meeting-house, where she died January 12, 1839, at the early age of 31 years, 2 months and 24 days. Interred at the Hammer Creek Cemetery. He (John) was elected as a minister of the Mennonite Congregation on April 21, 1851, and died November 20, 1873, at Brunnerville, aged 72 years, months and 27 days. Interred with his wife at Hammer Creek Cemetery. Their union was blessed with 2 sons and 4 daughters:

Jacob H., page 205

John H., page 209

Fanny H., page 211

Elizabeth H., page 214

Catharine H., page 215

Martha H., page 217

Rev. Jacob H. Risser, first son of Rev. John and Elizabeth (Hess) Risser, of Hammer Creek, Pa., of the sixth generation, was born March 20, 1827, married September 7, 1854, Fanny, daughter of Rev. Benj. and Fanny Eby residing near David Snavelly's Mill, from whence in later years they moved to Washington Co., Md., where they died. She (Fanny) was born September 28, 1832. They first resided near Hammer Creek Church, Pa., from whence he and his family emigrated to Washington County, Md., near Maugentown, 1867. He was ordained on July 11, 1875, a minister of the Gospel in the Mennonite Church and died January 24, 1892, aged 64 years, 10 months and 4 days. Their union was blessed with fourteen children, 9 of whom were born in Pa., and 5 in Md., named:

John E., page 207

Fanny E., born June 25, 1857, died August 11, 1858,

aged 1 year, 1 month and 17 days

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Susan E., born September 25, 1858, married H. Keener
died March 3, 1886, aged 27 years, 5 months and
9 days. See David Brubaker's generation.

Martin E., page 207

Elizabeth E., born March 30, 1861, died March 8,
1862, aged 11 months and 7 days

Benj. E., page 208

Jacob E., born October 3, 1864, died aged 3 months
and 25 days

Infant daughter, born November 5, 1855, died aged
days

Samuel E., page 208

These nine were born in Pennsylvania, and the dead are interred at the Hammer Creek Mennonite Church.

Mary E., born January 18, 1868

Isaac E., born June 25, 1869, died August 1, 1870,
aged 1 year, 1 month and 7 days

Anna E., born May 23, 1871, died June 21, 1871, aged
1 month and 29 days

Martha E., born October 16, 1872

Amos E., born November 9, 1876

These 5 were born in Maryland and the dead with their Father are interred at Reiff's Church, Md.

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John E. Risser, first son of Rev. Jacob H. and Fanny (Eby) Risser, of Maryland, of the seventh generation, was born August 24, 1855, married December 25, 1877, Barbara W., daughter of Abram Martin, of Washington, Md. She was born August 30, 1858. They resided in the same state and county as aforesaid where he (John) died June 25, 1883, aged 27 years, 9 months and 1 day. Their union was blessed with 4 children, named:

Abram M., born November 17, 1878, died April 1, 1890, aged 11 years, 4 months and 26 days

Jacob H., born February 13, 1880

Fanny M., born May 21, 1881

John M., born December 4, 1882

Martin E. Risser, second son of Rev. Jacob H. and Fanny (Eby) Risser, of Maryland, of the seventh generation, was born March 8, 1860, married December 6, 1888, Martha W., daughter

ghter of Jonas Eshleman, at present residing north of Salunga,
Lancaster County, Pa. She was born July 21, 1869. They are
blessed with 3 children:

Fanny E., born October 13, 1889

Cora E., born October 7, 1891

Mary E., born December 31, 1894

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Benj. E. Risser, third son of Rev. Jacob H. and Fanny
(Eby) Risser of Maryland, of the seventh generation, was born
December 10, 1862, married December 26, 1889, Lena, dau-
ghter of Christian Horst of Washington Co., Md. She was born
December 22, 1866. They are residing in the same county and
state and have 3 children:

Amos H., born May 12, 1891

Christian H., born May 9, 1894, died October 17,
1894, aged 5 months and 8 days

Adin H., born October 23, 1895

Samuel E. Risser, fifth son of Rev. Jacob and Fanny (Eby)
Risser, of Maryland, of the seventh generation, was born Nov-
ember 5, 1866, married May 21, 1891, Alice, daughter of
Samuel Gearhart, residing in Antrim Twp., Franklin Co., Pa.,
near Greencastle. She was born August 30, 1870. They are
residing in Maryland. They have one son:

Ira L., born September 10, 1895

Here ends the record of Rev. Jacob H. Risser at Maryland.

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John H. Risser, second son of Rev. John and Elizabeth
(Hess) Risser of Hammer Creek, Pa., of the sixth generation,
was born July 9, 1829, married August 29, 1850, Eliza Ann,
daughter of Christian Brackbill, of Lampeter Twp. She was
born May 16, 1832. They are residing at Brunnerville and are
the parents of nine children, namely:

Abner B., page 209

Barbara Ann, married Aaron H. Hess, see Hess gener-
ation, page 118

Phares B., born September 30, 1854, died July 5, 1857.

Amos B., born March 12, 1856, died June 19, 1857.

Levi, page 210

Elias B., page 210

Eliza B., page 155, married Peter H. Brubaker

Mary B., page 211

One Infant

All the dead are interred at the Hammer Creek Church.

Abner B. Risser, first son of John H. and Eliza Ann (Brackbill) Risser, of Brunnerville, Pa., of the seventh generation was born June 29, 1851, married September 25, 1873, Susan B., daughter of David L. and Hanna H. Miller, of Manheim Twp., Pa. She was born October 3, 1856. They are residing at Brunnerville and are the parents of 4 children:

Ellen M., born June 25, 1874

John M., born July 27, 1876

Wayne M., born May 16, 1881, died January 9, 1890, aged 8 years, 7 months and 23 days, interred at the Hammer Creek Church.

David M., born January 21, 1896

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Levi B. Risser, fourth son of John H. and Eliza Ann, (Brackbill) Risser, of Brunnerville, of the seventh generation, was born August 27, 1857, married November 6, 1879, Lizzie B. daughter of Jonas and Elizabeth Erb, residing west of Erb's meeting-house. She was born June 14, 1859. They are residing north of Lititz. They are the parents of 5 children:

Ephraim E., born February 11, 1881

Kate E., born April 6, 1884

Clayton E., born February 14, 1890

Lillie E., born April 3, 1892

Jonas E., born February 1, 1894

Elias B. Risser, fifth son of John H. and Eliza Ann (Brackbill) Risser of Brunnerville, of the seventh generation, was born August 2, 1859, married August 2, 1881, Sarah H., daughter of Isaac and Elizabeth (Hess) Bomberger, of Penn Twp., near White Oak Church. She was born November 2, 1861. They are residing in Lebanon County near Lebanon, and are the parents of seven children:

Elmer B., born January 17, 1882

Isaac B., born October 20, 1883

Henry B., born January 22, 1886

Lizzie B., born August 16, 1888

Mable B., born November 22, 1890

Nora B., born April 2, 1893

Joseph B., Born November 20, 1895

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Mary B. Risser, third daughter of John H. and Eliza Ann (Brackbill) Risser of Brunnerville, of the seventh generation was born July 8, 1863, married October 11, 1883, David S. son of Benj. and Susan (Stauffer) Nissley, of Rapho Twp. She was born May 4, 1863. They are residing east of Schoen

All. They have 5 children:

John R., born March 9, 1885

Clayton R., born March 10, 1887

Benj. R., born February 6, 1889

Samuel R., born May 24, 1892

David R., born June 19, 1895

Here ends the record of J. H. Risser and family.

Joseph Bomberger, son of John Bomberger, 2 miles east of Manheim Borough, was born December 21, 1828, married October 3, 1850, Fanny, first daughter of Rev. John and Elizabeth Risser of Brunnerville, of the sixth generation, was born (Fanny) July 16, 1831. They resided northwest of Manheim, where she died November 8, 1887, aged 46 years, 3 months and 22 days, and he (Joseph) died December 31, 1877, aged 59 years, and 0 days. They are interred one mile north of Manheim, at the Mennonite Church, and they were the parents of nine children, named:

Henry R., page 212

Annie R., page 214

Fanny R., page 214

Joseph R., page 213

John R., page 213

A son born April 21, 1859, died, aged 2 days

A daughter born December 21, 1863

A daughter born November 26, 1866 and died same day

Amos R., born October 3, 1870

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Henry H. Bomberger, first son of Joseph and Fanny (Risser) Bomberger of the seventh generation, was born August 31, 1851, married in 1872, Lizzie S., daughter of Abraham Earhart, near Manheim. She was born October 20, 1853. They reside near Manheim. They have eleven children, named:

Annie E., page 212

Theda E., born June 21, 1875

Elmer S., born May 23, 1877

Harry H., born September 28, 1878

Abram G., born February 12, 1881

Minnie E., born August 31, 1883

Lizzie E., born December 3, 1885

A daughter, born March 31, 1888, died aged 3 days

S. Earl, born May 5, 1889

Katie E., born March 31, 1892

Susie E., born April 12, 1895

Annie E. Bomberger, first daughter of Henry R. and Lizzie

Bomberger, of the eighth generation, was born May 10, 1877, married January 17, 1893, Ephraim O., son of Joseph Geil near Elstonville. He was born September 20, 1868. They are residing near Elstonville.

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John R. Bomberger, second son of Joseph and Fanny (Risser) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born March 3, 1860, married November 23, 1884, Clara R., daughter of Reuben and Catharine (Kafroth) Royer, of Rothsville, Pa. She was born December 10, 1863. They resided near Manheim, Pa., and have 2 children:

Dallas R., born January 22, 1886

Harvey R., born June 21, 1890

Joseph R. Bomberger, third son of Joseph and Fanny (Risser) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born December 1, 1864, married September 28, 1890, Annie G., daughter of Benj. Gible, near Manheim. She was born June 21, 1866. They are residing near Manheim. They are the parents of one child:

Nettie G., born November 2, 1894

Annie R. Bomberger, first daughter of Joseph and Fanny (Risser) Bomberger of the seventh generation, was born May 2, 1854, married December 4, 1873, Samuel B., son of John E. Hart, near Manheim, Pa., and have 4 children, named:

Annie B., born September 15, 1875

Fanny B., born April 29, 1878, died March 17, 1894, aged 16 years, 10 months and 18 days

Samuel B., born September 3, died aged 7 days

Francis B., born July 14, 1887

Fanny R. Bomberger, second daughter of Joseph and Fanny (Risser) Bomberger, of the seventh generation, was born, October 15, 1856, residing in the borough of Manheim. Her son, David B. Brandt was born May 28, 1877

Here ends the record of Joseph Bomberger and Family.

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Daniel Leed, son of Daniel L. and Sarah Leed, formerly of Penna., was born October 16, 1825, married in 1864, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Rev. John and Elizabeth Risser of Brunnerville, Pa., of the sixth generation, was born (Elizabeth) April 25, 1833. They emigrated from Penna. to Ohio in 1869 and are residing at New Berlin, Ohio. They have one son, named:

Harry R., born December 25

Harry R. Leed, son of Daniel and Elizabeth (Risser) Leed, of the seventh generation, was born December 25, married in 1887 Mary, daughter of John and Julia Ann, Rowinskey, of Ohio. She was born September 21, 1863. They are residing at New Berlin, Ohio. They are the parents of 2 children:

William R., born November 25, 1888

Earl R., born May 24, 1893

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Catharine Risser, third daughter of John and Elizabeth (Hess) Risser, late of Hammer Creek, of the sixth generation, was born March 1, 1836, married in 1857, John Buch, born in Warwick Twp., Lanc. Co., Pa., but later resided in Ohio. His wife Catharine now resides in Rockford, Ill. They are the parents of 3 children:

John Harvey, page 214

Elizabeth Ellen, page 216

Aaron Theodore, page 216

J. Harvey Buch, first son of John and Catharine (Risser) Buch, of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., April 29, 1858, married November 1881, Josephena Heller. She was born June 2, 1861. They are residing at Amsterdam, N. Y. They have 4 children, named:

Louise Elizabeth, born January 9, 1883

Harvey Charles, born September 2, 1884

Reinhart Augustus, born February 21, 1886, died August 1886

Anna Genevieve, born March 9, 1888

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Elizabeth Ellen Buch, first daughter of John and Catharine (Risser) Buch, of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., July 5, 1859, married May 14, 1884, John Edward J. Guilford. He was born September 30, 1858. They are residing at Rockford, Ill. They are the parents of 4 children:

Catharine, born March 15, 1885

Elizabeth, born January 14, 1887

Margaret, born November 3, 1890, died same day

Edward Francis, born January 3, 1892

Aaron Theodore Buch, second son of John and Catharine (Risser) Buch, of the seventh generation, was born in Pa., Sept. 5, 1861, married Mary Dursh. She was born July 26, 1866. They are residing in Lanc. Co., Pa. and have 2 children:

Anthony Harrison, born June 24, 1885

Harvey Paul, born September 21, 1887

Reuben Reist, son of Henry Reist, deceased, resided one mile east of Manheim Borough, at the old Reist home, now occupied by S. Fahnestock, was born November 1, 1837, married in 1861, Martha daughter of Rev. John and Elizabeth (Hess) Risser, who died in Brunnerville of the sixth generation. She was born February 4, 1839. They are residing east of Manheim. Their union was blessed with 7 daughters and several infant sons, namely:

Anna R., page 218
 Mary R., born February 23, 1865
 Sarah R., page 218
 Fanny R., born November 28, 1870
 Lizzie R., born May 20, 1876
 Mattie R., born July 25, 1879
 Katie R., born July 10, 1883

Anna R. Reist, first daughter of Reuben and Martha (Risser) Reist, of the seventh generation, was born January 9, 1866, married November 2, 1882, Henry R., son of Jacob Carpenter of Lititz. He was born January 10, 1860. They are residing at present south of Lititz Borough, and have 4 children, namely:

Lizzie R., born December 31, 1883
 Ellen R., born May 13, 1886
 Jacob R., born November 13, 1887
 Henry R., born January 17, 1892

Sarah R. Reist, third daughter of Reuben and Martha (Risser) Reist, of the seventh generation, was born September 1867, married November 15, 1891, Enos, son of Daniel Miller of Providence Twp., Lanc. Co., Pa. He was born October 1871. They are residing north of Lititz. They have 3 children:

Ammon, born December 20, 1892
 Reuben, born July 27, 1894
 Enos, born July 5, 1896

Here ends the record of the generation of Rev. John and Elizabeth (Hess) Risser.

Samuel Hess, the first emigrant, came from Switzerland in 1712. We have information from the Patent Deed of only one of his sons, named Jacob, who settled near Lititz, Pa. He is the second family and is the second generation. From the third generation, we have only explanations from John. He numbered both families.

The fourth decendants were the Pequea Christian and Rev. John, numbering two families bearing the name of Hess.

Said Pequea Christian had three sons, numbering three families, bearing the name of Hess. Now we take only Rev. John and his descendants. The first of his sons was Christian. He was born in 1789, and he had 5 sons, having families; they were the fifth generation. He also had 6 daughters all having families.

Christian Hess, the first son of Rev. John, of the fifth generation, married in 1811 Barbara Huber, and their offspring bearing the name Hess during 85 years was 27 families, of whom 21 having both progenitors living, and five of whom one of the parents is dead.

Henry Hess, third son of Rev. John and the fifth generation, married 1814, Catharine Huber. Their offspring bearing the name Hess during a period of 82 years was 22 families, 18 of whom both parents are alive and 4 that one or both are dead.

John Hess, the second son of Rev. John, of the fifth generation, married in 1813, Elizabeth Risser. Their offspring bearing the name Hess in the course of 85 years was 17 families, 14 of whom the parents are both living and 3 that the mother or father is dead.

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The offspring of Christian, John and Henry, the 3 sons of the fifth generation, bearing the name Hess, amounted in 85 years to 66 families, 54 of whom both parents are alive and 12 that one of the parents is dead.

And the offspring of these three families not bearing the name Hess is 181 families, 155 of whom both parents are living and 26 that of the parents is dead or both.

Now we take the offspring of the daughters of Christian and Barbara Hess, of the fifth generation, who were married in 1811. During 85 years they increased to 78 families, 66 of whom have both parents living and 8 that one or both are dead.

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John and Elizabeth Hess of the fifth generation, married in 1813. The offspring from their daughters, in a period of 83 years was 49 families, of whom 43 have both parents living and 6 that one or both are dead.

Henry and Catharine Hess, of the fifth generation, married 1814. The offspring of their daughters not bearing the name Hess in a period of 82 years were 54 families, 46 of whom have both parents living and 8 of whom one or both are dead.

From Samuel Hess who emigrated from Switzerland in 1712 to the first Rev. John, of the fourth generation, there were families.

The offspring of Christian and Barbara Hess, of the fifth generation, who were married in 1811, are 27 families bearing the name of Hess, and the offspring not bearing the name of Hess are 78 families in a period of 85 years.

The offspring of John and Elizabeth Hess, of the fifth generation, who were married in 1813, are 17 families, bearing the name Hess and the offspring not bearing the name Hess are 49 families, during a term of 83 years.

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The offspring of Henry and Catharine Hess of the fifth generation, who married in 1814, are 22 families, bearing the name Hess and the offspring not bearing the name Hess are 54 families during 82 years.

The offspring of Susanna Hess, of the fifth generation, who married in 1818, Joseph Eberly, numbers 40 families in a period of 78 years.

The offspring of Anna Hess of the fifth generation who married in 1819 Christian Oberholtzer numbers 13 families in period of 77 years.

The offspring of Martha Hess of the fifth generation, who married in 1824 Samuel Oberholtzer number 38 families during the course of 72 years.

The offspring of Elizabeth Hess, of the fifth generation, who married John Risser in 1826, numbers 24 families, during 7 years, as near as can be ascertained.

This makes a total of 371 families.

GENEALOGY

HANS OR JOHN HESS

A Brother of Jacob,

(mentioned on page 1)

GENEALOGY

OF

HANS OR JOHN HESS

Hans or John Hess, was a son of the first Samuel Hess, who came from Switzerland to America in the year 1712 and settled at Pequea Twp., Pa. This same John resided in Pequea Twp. where he died in 1734, and was interred in the old graveyard near Baumgardner's Station, on the Lancaster and Quarryville Railroad. His wife, Magdalena, was born in 1685. She is interred at the same place alongside her husband. Their union was blessed with eight children, namely:

- Jacob
- Abram
- Samuel
- Michael
- Magdalena, married Jacob Stauffer
- Anna, married A. Mylin
- Elizabeth, married Michael Crider
- Barbara, married Samuel Byers

This Hans or John Hess, left a will when he died which was entered in the Lancaster County record-book in 1734. This was the first will recorded in the office beginning with the letter H

Michael Hess, the fourth son of Hans or John Hess of the second generation, was born April 22, 1715, died March 5, 1760. His wife Barbara born February 8, 1721, married February 5, 1738. Their union was blessed with nine children, namely:

- John born October 8, 1739, died October 7, 1741
- Abram, born June 6, 1741
- John (3rd son) born December 2, 1743
- David, born June 19, 1746
- Jacob, born October 1, 1748
- Christian, born September 24, 1751
- Samuel, born June 14, 1753
- Barbara, born March 5, 1755
- Michael, page 227

Michael Hess, the eighth son of Michael and Barbara Hess of the third generation, was born April 24, 1757, married Martha Shock. He (Michael) was ordained a minister of the Gospel from Baptist River Bretheran denomination. They had children:

- Jacob, page 228
- Michael, died single
- John
- Abram, page 238
- Barbara, married Christian Zook

Veronica, died single

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Jacob Hess, first son of Michael and Maria (Shock) Hess of the fourth generation, married Elizabeth Lichty. Their union was blessed with 5 children named:

Barbara, married Samuel Reiff

Maria, page 231

Susan, married Christian Herr

Fanny L., page 233 - Jacob L., page 228

Jacob L. Hess, only son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lichty) Hess of the fifth generation, was born March 5, 1827, married Mary Ann, daughter of Martin and Maria (Brubaker) Herr. He (Martin Herr) is at present residing with his son, Rev. Abram. Sid Martin was born in June, 1800, and is living yet. His daughter Mary Ann, first wife of Jacob L. Hess, was born April 2, 1832, died May 31, 1879. Their union was blessed with 11 children named:

Lizzie H., born March 15, 1853, died young

Martin H., page 229

Barbara, page 230

Harry H., page 229

Martha H., born and died

Anna H., born and died

Jacob L., Jr., page 229

Mary H., page 230

Fanny, page 230

Susan H., page 230

He (Jacob) married his second wife, Fanny M., daughter of Jacob Engle, of Rapho Twp., Lanc. Co., Pa. She was born May 4, 1849.

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Martin H. Hess, first son of Jacob L. and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born October 5, 1855, married Mary V., daughter of David Huber. She was born March 1, 1858. They have six children:

Jacob L., Jr., born September 30, 1881

Mary H., born July 24, 1883

Katie H., born March 21, 1885

Henry H., born June 13, 1886

Huber H., born March 8, 1888

Anne H., born September 21, 1889

Henry H. Hess, the second son of Jacob L. and Mary Ann

(Herr) Hess of the sixth generation, was born July 18, 1860 married Christianna E. Stehman. She was born June 17, 1863 Their union was blessed with 3 children named:

Ada E., born September 28, 1887

Martha M., born November 30, 1890

Anna C., born May 21, 1892, died February 26, 1899

Jacob L. Hess, Jr., third son of Jacob L., and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born February 6, 1866 married Lydia Mowrer. She was born May 3, 1868. Their children are:

Blanche, born July 31, 1890

Elizabeth, born March 29, 1894

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Barbara H. Hess, second daughter of Jacob L. and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born May 2, 1858, married Jacob H. Ziegler. He was born January 6, 1858. They had 7 children, named:

John, born July 15, 1880

Mary, born August 15, 1882

Ivan, born June 20, 1884

Barbara, born December 8, 1885

Alice, born January 26, 1888

Jacob, born March 31, 1890

Arthur, born December 30, 1893

Mary Hess, fifth daughter of Jacob L. and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born November 2, 1868 and married John W. Eshleman. They are the parents of 2 children:

John

Virginia

Fanny Hess, sixth daughter of Jacob L. and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born January 27, 1872 and married Aaron B. Hess. They have one child, namely, Lloyd.

Susanna Hess, seventh daughter of Jacob L. and Mary Ann (Herr) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born July 8, 1875 and married Martin E., son of Rev. Martin and Fanny (Ebersole) Ruth. He was born December 3, 1871. They are residing near Elizabethtown.

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Maria Hess, the second daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lichty) Hess, of the fifth generation, was born May 8, 1813, died December 27, 1886, aged 73 years, 7 months and 21 days. She married Christian Engle. He was born December 20, 1800,

lied August 1887, aged 82 years, 7 months and 27 days. Their union was blessed with 7 children, namely:

Simon, page 231

John died

Christ Died

Joseph, page 232

Amos, page 232

Mattie, page 232

Mary, page 233

Simon H. Engle, first son of Christian and Maria (Hess) Engle, of the sixth generation, was born November 3, 1833, married Mary E. Graybill. She was born September 1, 1839. Their union was blessed with eight children, namely:

Paris G., page 231

Naomi G., page September 22, 1860

Myra G., born September 18, 1862

Walter G., born January 15, 1865

Emma G., born April 2, 1871

Christian G., born February 24, 1873

Mary G., born November 29, 1874

Gertrude G., born August 8, 1879

Paris G. Engle, first son of Samuel and Maria (Hess) Engle, of the seventh generation, was born January 21, 1859, and married Mattie Z., daughter of Abram M. and Elizabeth Hess. She was born September 10, 1866. They have 2 children, named:

Mary H., born June 12, 1891

Robert H., born February 17, 1894

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Joseph H. Engle, fourth son of Christian and Maria (Hess) Engle, of the sixth generation, was born April 21, 1845, married Fannie Breneman. They have 7 children, named:

Frank B., born December 4, 1872

Simon B., born May 17, 1874

Mary B., born September 6, 1875

Emma B., born February 7, 1878

Horace B., born April 11, 1883

Warren G., born June 13, 1885

Amos B., born October 31, 1887

Amos H. Engle, fifth son of Christian and Maria (Hess) Engle, of the sixth generation, married and had no children.

Mattie Engle, first daughter of Christian and Maria (Hess) Engle, of the sixth generation, married John.

Mary Engle, second daughter of Christian and Maria (Hess Engle, of the sixth generation, was born April 12, 1849, married Henry M. Engle. He was born March 9, 1843. They are the parents of 7 children:

Francis, born January 14, 1871
 Bertha, born April 12, 1873
 Anna, born November 26, 1875
 H. Clinton, born January 22, 1878
 Clarence, born August 24, 1882
 John Raymond, born January 23, 1888
 Miriam, born July 9, 1892

Fanny Hess, fourth daughter of Jacob and Elizabeth (Lichty Hess, of the fifth generation, was born August 3, 1817 and married December 26, 1840, Amos MacAllister. She (Fanny) died December 21, 1876. Their union was blessed with eight children, named:

Jacob H., page 234
 Isaac H., page 234
 Barbara H., page 235
 Lizzie H., born July 15, 1847, died December 10, 1855
 Mary H., page 235
 John H., page 235
 Susan, born July 16, 1855
 Amos H., page 235

Jacob H. McAllister, first son of Amos and Fanny (Hess McAllister, of the sixth generation, was born November 1841, and married January 10, 1867, Barbara Greider. The Children are:

Howard Clinton, page 234
 Cora, born July 5, 1873

Howard Clinton McAllister, first son of Jacob and Barbara (Greider) McAllister, of the seventh generation, was born October 22, 1867 and married May 22, 1889, Edith L. Urban. They are the parents of one child, Ruth L., born April 15, 1891

Isaac H. McAllister, second son of Amos and Fanny (Hess McAllister, of the sixth generation, was born August 29, 1844 and married Mary Harnish.

Barbara H. McAllister, first daughter of Amos & Fanny

(less) McAllister, of the sixth generation, was born June 13, 1845, and married February 2, 1869, Martin L. Oberholtzer. They have 5 children:

Daniel Amos, born December 10, 1869

Charles Ellmore, born February 29, 1872

George Whitefield, born May 25, 1874

Howard Landis, born August 6, 1876, died July 24, 1884

Anna Mary, born December 1, 1882

John H. McAllister, third son of Amos and Fanny (Hess) McAllister of the sixth generation, was born February 12, 1852 and married May 6, 1891, Ada Hollinger. They have 2 children:

Helen, born May 17, 1892

Lloyd, born May 2, 1894

Mary H. McAllister, third daughter of Amos and Fanny (less) McAllister, of the sixth generation, was born May 19, 1849, and married January 1876, Christian Mann. She died January 1877.

Amos H. McAllister, fourth son of Amos and Fanny (Hess) McAllister, of the sixth generation, was born March 17, 1858, and married October 11, 1883, Mary Ann Herr. They have 2 children, named:

Maud, born October 28, 1885

John, born October 19, 1892

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Abraham M. Hess, son of Rev. Abram and Elizabeth (Muss) Hess, of the fifth generation, married December 12, 1850, Elizabeth Hess. She was born February 23, 1832, and died at an early age February 15, 1852. They had one son, named:

Emanuel, died January 21, 1852

On January 10, 1856 he (Abram) married his second wife, Annie Ziegler, and she died July 3, 1867. Their union was blessed with 7 children, named:

Conrad Z., page 239

Benj. Z., born April 5, 1858

Abram Z., born June 4, 1859

Noah Z., born January 5, 1861

Eli Z., born April 10, 1862, died March 17, 1864

Ezra Z., born July 9, 1864, died February 21, 1879

Mattie Z., born September 10, 1866

He (Abram) married his third wife Barbara N. Herr, October 21, 1869. She was born August 28, 1837. They have 4

children, named:

Annie H., born November 14, 1870

Enos H., born April 14, 1872

Barbara H., born January 7, 1877, died June 5, 187

Lizzie H., born May 17, 1878

These children of this family are married:

Conrad Z., married Ada Sue, Keen, Pa.

Benj. Z. married Suie Barbara Warfel

Abraham Z., married Lizzie Musser

Noah Z., married Mamie Ada Eckman

Mattie Z., married Paris Engle, page 231

Annie H., married Greabill Mann

Enos H. and Lizzie H. are single yet

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Conrad Z. Hess, first living son of Abraham M. and Ann (Ziegler) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born November 1856, and married Ada Sue Keen. She was born November 1862. They have 10 children:

Anna Martha, born October 28, 1883

Abraham Musser, born July 24, 1885

Alice May, born October 10, 1886

Ada Mary, born May 4, 1888

David Avery, born June 17, 1889

Suie Naomie, born October 27, 1890, died March 1892

Barbara Verdna, born February 4, 1892, died March 1892

Martha Ann, born March 30, 1893

Emma Rhoda, born October 7, 1894

Ruth Lizzie, born December 13, 1895

Benj. Z. Hess, second son of Abram and Annie (Ziegler) Hess, was born April 5, 1858, and married Suie Barbara Warfel, having 2 children, named:

Suie A., born November 1884

Barbara Amelia, born October 21, 1893

Abraham Z. Hess, third son of Abram and Annie (Ziegler) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born January 4, 1859, and married Lizzie Musser.

Noah Z. Hess, fourth son of Abram and Annie (Ziegler) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born January 15, 1861, and married Ada Eckman.

Annie H. Hess, first daughter of Abram and Barbara (Hess) Hess, and

ess, was born November 14, 1870, and married Greabill Mann.

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Christian Herr, was born November 25, 1807, and married November 30, 1839, Susan Hess, third daughter of Jacob and Maria (Shock) Hess, of the fifth generation. She (Susan) was born April 27, 1815. They have 8 children:

Jacob H., page 238

Joseph H., page 239

Maris H., born January 23, 1844, died May 9, 1847

Christ H., page 239

Barbara H., page 240

Elizabeth H., born September 8, 1853. She is unmarried.

Abram H., born October 5, 1855. He is single.

Jacob H. Herr, first son of Christian and Susan (Hess) Herr, of the sixth generation, was born August 26, 1840, and married Katie Mylin, January 13, 1880. She was born July 8, 1835. Their union was blessed with one son.

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Joseph H. Herr, second son of Christian and Susan (Hess) Herr, of the sixth generation, was born January 6, 1842, and married January 26, 1879, to Ettie E. Herr. She was born March 20, 1853. They have 1 child, Annie E., born March 21, 1883.

Christian H. Herr, third son of Christian and Susan (Hess) Herr, of the sixth generation, was born March 5, 1846, and married October 15, 1872, to Mary Kendig. She was born October 8, 1851. They are the parents of 9 children:

Mary Frances, born May 25, 1874

Christian Willis, born August 31, 1875

Enos Kendig, born March 12, 1878

John Kendig, born July 12, 1880

Franklin, born June 26, 1883, died July 4, 1883

Ira K., born April 17, 1885

Guy K., born August 19, 1887

Martin K., born March 24, 1890

Raymond K., born February 17, 1895

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Barbara H. Herr, second daughter of Christian and Susan (Hess) Herr, of the sixth generation, was born October 28, 1840, and married November 28, 1889, to Jacob B. Lindeman.

He was born June 5, 1839. They had one child, Susanna, born December 5, 1892.

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We find in the beginning of our Genealogy that Samuel Hess, the first settler of our descendants, came from Zurich Switzerland, and is supposed through information of history that this same Samuel was an offspring of Hans Jacob Hess, who endured persecution in Zurich, Switzerland, in the year 1637. We find in the English martyr's book on page 1056, Hans Jacob Hess, with his wife, A. D. 1639, were among those who suffered persecution in Switzerland, there was Hans Jacob Hess a chosen and Circled minister of the Christian Church. He being imprisoned twice before, the first time being in the year 1637. So we say he was imprisoned in the Convent Othenbach; others in the dungeons; and still others in the prison, etc; but it evident was at Othenbach, a famous prison in Zurich. But the Lord beyond all expectations had remarkably delivered him through the aid of those that were imprisoned with him as also out of the third imprisonment. The first lasted 19 days; the second, 83 weeks; the third 83 weeks or more than a year and a half.

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But in the mean time his wife was made very bitter and vexatious for he was striped and together were put in Iron bonds 16 weeks, which he nevertheless patiently bore with a steadfast mind until his deliverance. While this was taking place, namely, in the same year, his wife was also apprehended and first imprisoned in the Council House and then in Othenbach where through bad treatment and unfit food and drink for several weeks, she was so impaired in her constitution and weakened that she was seized with consumption, and after suffering much misery died in prison. The property of said H. J. Hess was seized by the authorities who realized from the sale of it 40 guilders without restoring anything of it to those who remained. A great injustice. How will they be able to account for this before the righteous judgement seat of Christ?

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John Hess, who resided many years ago in Conestoga and Pequea Twp., was also one of the descendants of the first Samuel Hess, who came from Switzerland in 1712. Said John and his wife Elizabeth, were the grandparents of Samuel Hess, now residing in Landisville, Lanc. Co., Pa. John and Elizabeth (Miser) Hess had a son named Samuel, supposed to be the third

generation. He was born February 26, 1784, and married Annie Manert. She was born May 2, 1791 and died December 21, 1864. He (Samuel) died September 1, 1866. They had a family and among the children was a son named, Samuel.

Samuel Hess, of Landisville, Pa., son of Samuel and Anna (Manert) Hess, of the fourth generation, was born August 31, 1816, and married Leah Warfel. She was born November 11, 1816, and died January 9, 1892. They had 10 children:

Anna, page 244

Elvina, page 245

Jonas, page 247

Susan, page 248

Ephriam, born October 31, 1840, died February 22, 1861

Jacob, born December 31, 1847, died May 31, 1866

Samuel W., born December 4, 1852

Barbara W., born January 6, 1855

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Annie Hess, first daughter of Samuel and Leah (Warfel) Hess, of the fifth generation, was born March 29, 1839, and married to John H. Shertzer who was born November 12, 1831. They are the parents of 7 children:

Henry F., born January 9, 1860, died February 6, 1863

Samuel E., page 244

Elvina H., page 244

Leah C., page 245

William R., born July 13, 1868

Fannie E., born September 14, 1870

John R., born December 16, 1874, died aged 5 years

Samuel E. Shertzer, son of John H. and Anna (Hess) Shertzer, of the sixth generation, was born December 5, 1861, and married Lillie Hornberger. They have but one child, named, Sella E., born July 19, 1894.

Elvina H. Shertzer, first daughter of John H. and Anna (Hess) Shertzer, of the sixth generation, was born April 4, 1863, married James K. Marks. He was born December 8, 1859.

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Leah C. Shertzer, second daughter of John H. and Anna (Hess) Shertzer, of the sixth generation, was born August 15, 1861, and married to Charles W. Taylor. He was born September 6, 1861, and died March 18, 1891. They had but 2 children, named:

Beulah E., born October 25, 1888

John R., born July 11, 1890

Elvina Hess, second daughter of Samuel and Leah (Warte Hess of the fifth generation, was born September 21, 1842, and married Reuben E. Miller, who was born October 14, 1842. They had 8 children:

Milton H., page 246

Francis H., born May 5, 1865

Harry H., born June 14, 1871

Barbara, Page 246

John H., born December 6, 1874

Annie, born September 16, 1878

Samuel H., born April 1, 1882

Reuben, born October 11, 1886

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Milton H. Miller, first son of Reuben and Elvina (Hess) Miller, of the sixth generation, was born July 8, 1863, and married Mary E. Staly. She was born October 12, 1859. They had 4 children:

Laura S., born May 18, 1889

Norman S., born April 7, 1891

Henry S., born March 15, 1893

Mary S., born April 18, 1896

Barbara Miller, second daughter of Reuben E. and Elvina (Hess) Miller, of the sixth generation, was born May 28, 1877, and married to Abram M. Kolp. He was born February 2, 1867. They have 2 children, named:

Fannie M., born July 30, 1891, died August 11, 1893

Barbara M., born August 2, 1893

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Jonas W. Hess, first son of Samuel and Leah (Warfel) Hess of the fifth generation, was born February 16, 1845, and married Mary M. Heaps. She was born January 13, 1846. They are the parents of 3 children, named:

Amos F., born November 15, 1868

Annie B., born February 20, 1870

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Amos F. Hess, first son of Jonas W. and Mary M. (Heaps) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born November 15, 1868, and married to E. Lizzie Carpenter. They have 3 children:

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George W., born February 22, 1893

Alfred A., born 1895

Samuel H. Hess, second son of Jonas W. and Mary M. (Leaps) Hess, of the sixth generation, was born September 14, 1871, and married to Josephine Fleck.

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George W. Hess, third son of Samuel and Leah (Warfel) Hess, of the fifth generation, was born April 21, 1850, and married Hannah Herr. She was born July 26, 1852. They are the parents of nine children:

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Susie M., born April 27, 1878

Harry H., born April 9, 1880

Samuel H., born June 19, 1883

Lizzie G., born September 30, 1885

Ira N., born June 22, 1888

Walter R., born May 30, 1891

Nora E., born March 13, 1893

Harold, born November 15, 1894

Susan Hess, fourth daughter of Samuel and Leah (Warfel) Hess, of the fifth generation, was born December 24, 1859, and married Levi H. Hershey. He was born November 26, 1860. They have but one son, named; Samuel H., born June 1, 1891.

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Anna Mary Hess, first and only daughter of Enos and Helen (Hoover) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born October 18, 1931, and married September 30, 1950, Titus, son of Jacob Burkholder. He was born March 16, 1929. They have several children:

- Gary Lee, born June 19, 1953
- Kevin Neil, born June 3, 1955
- Titus Hess, born August 6, 1956
- John David, born December 10, 1957
- Marvin Ray, born January 23, 1960

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Miles S. Hess, second son of Henry B. and Mary Ann (Stoner) Hess of the ninth generation, was born January 24, 1899, and married April 15, 1924, Lottie (Witmer) Stauffer. She was the daughter of Daniel Stauffer of Ephrata. They are residing near Bergstrasse, where she died April 6, 1953. They had 6 children named:

- Irene, married Lloyd W. Sander
- Verna, married Harold Zimmerman

Esther, married Paul E. Weaver

Clarence, born November 19, 1925, died May 29
1926

Arlene, born May 20, 1946

Leon, born December 17, 1949

The dead of this family are interred at Metzler's Cemetery.
(Lottie Hess was born December 14, 1904)

Lloyd W. Snader, son of Aaron and Katie (Wise) Snader,
born June 22, 1924, married Irene Hess, daughter of Miles and
Lottie (Stauffer) Hess of the tenth generation. She was born
December 16, 1924, and married September 8, 1945. They
have 4 children, named:

Joyce Elaine, born December 3, 1946

Erma Jane, born February 19, 1950, died February 12,
1951; interred at Metzler's Cemetery

Carolyn Faye, born March 29, 1953

James Clair, born August 30, 1960

Harold M. Zimmerman, son of Stephen and Stella (Martin)
Zimmerman, was born April 27, 1927, and married October 4,
1947, Verna Hess, daughter of Miles and Lottie (Stauffer) Hess,
of the tenth generation. She was born April 29, 1928. They
reside near Wabash Bridge and have 4 children:

Myron Lee, born August 10, 1952

Philip Ray, born December 25, 1953

Cynthia Ann, born July 25, 1956

Joan Louise, born January 2, 1960

Paul E. Weaver, son of Murrel and Minerva (Garber) of
Lititz, was born January 5, 1929, and married November 17,
1951, Esther Hess, daughter of Miles and Lottie (Stauffer) Hess,
of the tenth generation. She was born March 1, 1931. They
are residing at Lititz, near the Lambert & Hudnut Plant. They
are the parents of 3 children:

Marilyn Kay, born October 25, 1953

Shirley Ann, born July 16, 1955

Judy Elaine, born December 31, 1957

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Eli S. Hess, son of Henry B. Hess, of the ninth generation,
was born February 5, 1904, and married November 11, 1924,
to Maise R., daughter of Martin Longenecker. She was born
June 25, 1904. He (Eli) died May 29, 1960. They had 8 chil-
dren, named:

Paul L., married

Earl L., married

Edith L., married
Edna L., married
Ruth L., married
Mildred L., married
Emma L. born May 17, 1943
Esther L., December 17, 1944

Paul L. Hess, first son of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born January 2, 1926, and married October 21, 1944, to Anna Elizabeth, daughter of Jacob Hess. She was born February 10, 1923. They are the parents of 6 children:

Paul Longenecker, born September 8, 1945
James Richard, born September 24, 1946
Stanley Warren, born March 21, 1949
Barbara Anne, born March 7, 1954
Henry Ray, born December 8, 1956
Floyd Nelson, born September 10, 1959

Earl L. Hess, second son of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born December 16, 1927, and married April 4, 1947, to Erla Elaine, daughter of George McInt. She was born June 6, 1928. They have 6 children:

Edwin Eugene, born May 15, 1948
Thomas Michael, born April 30, 1952
David Lee, born May 13, 1954
Doris Elaine, born May 4, 1955
Douglas Scott, born July 23, 1957
Arnold Ray, born June 14, 1959

Edith L. Hess, first daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess of the tenth generation, was born August 26, 1928, and married November to Lloyd Sensenig, son of Aaron Sensenig. She was born September 7, 1928. They had 6 children:

Eli, born May 16, 1949
Esther, born May 29, 1950
Mildred, born October 5, 1951
Lloyd, Jr., born July 4, 1953
Glen, born May 11, 1956
Mervin, born April 29, 1957

Edna L. Hess, second daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born October 3, 1932, and married April 7, Earl, son of Aaron Sensenig. He was born December 22, 1931. They have 3 children:

John, born July 16, 1952
Emma, born July 16, 1952, died September 2, 1961

Jean, born October 31, 1960

Ruth L. Hess, third daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born December 7, 1937, and married December 10, 1955, to Amos, son of Amos Weaver. He was born September 30, 1931. They are the parents of 2 children:

David Lynn, born May 20, 1956

Ray Anthony, born September 14, 1960

Mildred L. Hess, the fourth daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born June 23, 1941, married June 27, 1959, to Leon, son of Levi High. He was born November 16, 1937. They have one child:

Ivy Jane, born August 9, 1960

Emma L. Hess, the fifth daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born May 17, 1943, and married June 10, 1961, Harold, son of Hershey Weaver.

Esther L. Hess, the sixth daughter of Eli S. and Masie (Longenecker) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born December 17, 1944, and married September 22, 1962, to Kenneth R., the son of Isaac B. Weaver. He was born October 6, 1941.

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Emma B. Hess, daughter of Christian B. and Susanna (Burkhard) Hess of the eighth generation, was born May 14, 1879, and married Moses H. Zimmerman. He was born August 22, 1877. He (Moses) died April 11, 1936, and his wife died in December 14, 1958. They are the parents of 11 children:

Susanna H., born August 17, 1903, died May 10, 1918

Lizzie H., born April 17, 1905, died July 18, 1917

Mary H., born August 14, 1906, page 255

Noah H., born August 31, 1908, page 256

Daniel H., born November 10, 1909, page 266

Henry H., born April 25, 1911, died October 11, 1912

Levi H., born November 4, 1912, page 263

Moses H., born August 29, 1914, married

Leah H., born January 3, 1917, page 265

Emma H., born February 22, 1919, page 255

John H., born January 18, 1921, died January 26, 1921

The dead are interred at Groffdale Frame Mennonite Church

Moses H. Zimmerman, son of Moses and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born August 29, 1914,

and married Lizzie M., daughter of Jacob Shirk. She was born July 21, 1912. They had 10 children, named:

Paul S., born January 22, 1938, married

Elmer S., born December 13, 1941, page 300

Henry S., born April 19, 1943, page 300

Emma S., born June 20, 1945

Ada S., born December 28, 1946, died January 12, 1947

Infant Twins, born and died July 10, 1944

Moses S., born October 14, 1948

Levi S., born June 1, 1950

Edna S., born October 23, 1951

Ammon S., born December 1, 1953

Paul S. Zimmerman, son of Moses and Lizzie (Shirk) Zimmerman, was born January 22, 1938, and married December 14, 1958, to Laura Martin. They have two sons, named:

Lowell M., born November 21, 1959

Glenn M., born July 19, 1962

Laura Martin, daughter of Reuben Martin, was born February 26, 1938.

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George H. Martin, son of Henry and Mary Ann (Hess) Martin, of ninth generation, was born December 16, 1906, and married April 22, 1937, to Lizzie H., daughter of Noah Burkholder. She was born May 4, 1915. They have 14 children;

Ruth B., born January 31, 1938

Chester B., born February 10, 1939, married

Edna B., born December 13, 1939, still born

Mary Ann B., January 8, 1941

Lena B., born December 28, 1941

Clarence, born February 12, 1943

Lloyd B., June 22, 1944

Irene B., born November 17, 1945

Isaac B., born March 8, 1947

Mabel B., born July 12, 1948

Melvin B., born January 18, 1950

Lizzie B., born June 26, 1951, still born

Virginia B., born February 9, 1953

Susan B., born July 22, 1955

Chester B. Martin, first son of George and Lizzie (Burkholder) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born February 10, 1939, and married June 2, 1960 to Evelyn Mae, daughter of

Hettie B. Hess, daughter of Christian B. Hess, of the eighth generation, was born May 23, 1885, married Garfield Shirk, October 20, 1910. He was born October 20, 1881. She died March 21, 1948, and he died December 8, 1928. They had 3 children:

Susan H., born February 27, 1912, died March 4, 1912

Christian B., born September 2, 1913

Elizabeth, married Elmer Burkholder

Elmer M. Burkholder, son of Elam Burkholder, was born October 22, 1913, and married Elizabeth, daughter of Garfield and Hettie (Hess) Shirk, of the ninth generation. She was born September 6, 1915, and married July 27, 1935. They had 3 children:

Laura S., married

Esther S., married

Anna S., born March 23, 1949

Laura S. Burkholder, daughter of Elmer M. and Elizabeth (Shirk) Burkholder, of the tenth generation, was born June 20, 1936, and married January 28, 1956, to Adam Z. Zimmerman. He was born December 23, 1934.

Esther S. Burkholder, daughter of Elmer M. and Elizabeth (Shirk) Burkholder, of the tenth generation, was born July 10, 1938, and married June 7, 1958, Raymond W. Martin. He was born September 5, 1936. They are the parents of 2 children:

David B., born April 25, 1959

Margaret B., born August 25, 1960

Emma H. Zimmerman, daughter of Moses H. and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born February 22, 1919, and married November 11, 1941, Paul B. Martin, son of Reuben Martin. He was born January 2, 1919. They have 11 children:

Mary, born July 7, 1943

Laura, born June 25, 1944

Noah, born July 31, 1945

Jesse, born August 8, 1947

Edward, born October 19, 1948

Jay Paul, born March 14, 1950

John Dan, born February 8, 1951

Eli, born February 14, 1953

Emma, born August 12, 1955

Esther, born April 22, 1957, died December 4, 1957

Reuben, born November 13, 1959

Mary H. Zimmerman, daughter of Moses H. and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born August 4, 1906, and married October 30, 1930, to Sylvester Kilmer Brubaker. He was born in Michigan, April 23, 1905. They are the parents of one child:

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John Z. Brubacher, son of Sylvester and Mary (Zimmerman) Brubacher, of the tenth generation, was born July 29, 1938, and married December 29, 1960, to Sara N. Burkholder. She was the daughter of Samuel R. and Anna Mary (Nolt) Burkholder. They have one child:

Anna Mary, born December 13, 1961

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Noah H. Zimmerman, son of Moses and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born August 31, 1908, and married November 7, 1929, Esther S. Nolt. She was born January 6, 1910. Their union was blessed with several children:

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Lizzie N., born January 8, 1945

Noah N., born November 11, 1948

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Mary N. Zimmerman, daughter of Noah H. and Esther (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born March 6, 1931, and married November 8, 1951, Daniel H. Martin. She was born September 14, 1928. They have 7 children:

Ammon, born February 22, 1953

Alta, born April 3, 1954

Ruth, born August 7, 1955

Nathan, born October 6, 1956

Esther, born December 3, 1957

Walter, born December 4, 1958

Daniel, born November 26, 1959

Elva, born August 20, 1961

Norman, born December 30, 1962

Emma N. Zimmerman, daughter of Noah H. and Esther

(Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born May 11, 1933, and married November 6, 1952, Marlin F. Frey. They have 2 children:

Leon Ray, born August 26, 1953

John Henry, born April 11, 1956

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John N. Zimmerman, son of Noah H. and Esther (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born March 11, 1937, and married May 7, 1960, Florence Leona Christ. She was born February 26, 1940. They have one child:

Robert Lee, born June 11, 1961

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Lizzie H. Redcay, daughter of Adam Redcay, of the ninth generation, was born February 18, 1900, and married November 26, 1931, to Adam G. Aufer. He was born January 21, 1907.

Martin, born October 28, 1933

William, page 259

Aaron, born December 27, 1935

Sue, born July 19, 1937

Ruth, born April 8, 1939

Annie, born September 18, 1940

Paul, born December 24, 1942 and died September 8, 1951

Sadie, born September 4, 1943

William R. Aufer, son of Adam Aufer, was born January 10, 1935, of the tenth generation. He was married to Edna Gehman, daughter of David Gehman, March 27, 1955. They have 3 children:

Linda born July 13, 1956

Leon, born January 2, 1958

Ellen, born October 12, 1959

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Myer M. Hess, the first son of Abram B. and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born July 7, 1895, and married on November 30, 1918, Carrie M. Zwally, daughter of Wayne Zwally. Her birthday is August 28, 1892. They have 5 children:

Harold A., page 260

Virgie Mae, page 261

Ethel Jean, page 261

Ellen Marie, page 262

Leon W., page 262

Harold A. Hess, the son of Myer M. and Carrie (Zwally) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born November 3, 1919, and married on December 25, 1940, to Eleanor Snyder. She was born February 15, 1916. They have 2 children:

H. Lynn, born July 4, 1942, page 266

Lila Jean, born August 3, 1947

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Virgie Mae Hess, daughter of Myer and Carrie (Zwally) Hess of the tenth generation, was born January 29, 1921, and married on November 1944 to Lloyd (Good) Groff. They have 2 children:

Evelyn, born January 25, 1947

Robert, born June 13, 1951

Ethel Jean Hess, daughter of Myer and Carrie (Zwally) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born January 12, 1925, and married October 1948 to Herbert (Buckwalter) Weilder. He was born February 25, 1923. They are the parents of 5 children:

Joseph, born October 2, 1949

Eric, born January 1, 1951

Stanley, born March 5, 1953

Luke, born April 2, 1955

Julia, born September 20, 1957

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Ellen Marie Hess, daughter of Myer and Carrie (Zwally) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born April 20, 1929, and married April 6, 1958, to Eugene A. Groff.

Leon W. Hess, son of Myer and Carrie (Zwally) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born May 14, 1930, and married July 6, 1952, to Miriam Brubaker. She was born February 8, 1931.

Timothy Scott, born March 23, 1955

Heidi Sue, born February 25, 1957

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Lizzie B. Hess, daughter of C. B. and Susanna (Burkhard) Hess of the eighth generation, was born December 28, 1881, and married Amos Groff, November 12, 1912. He was the son of Martin Groff. He (Amos) was born April 29, 1885 and died October 11, 1922, aged 37 years, 5 months and 12 days. Lizzie then married Freeland Buckwalter on November 20, 1928. He was born May 3, 1880. No children.

Levi H. Zimmerman, son of Moses and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born November 4, 1912,

and married December 7, 1932 to Katie J. Sensenig. She was born December 28, 1913. They had 5 children:

Anna Mae, page 264

Vera, page 264

Ella, page 264

Raymond, page 265

Miriam, page 265

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Anna Mae Zimmerman, daughter of Levi and Katie Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born November 29, 1932 and married January 7, 1955, to Phares Nolt. He was born October 19, 1934. They have a son:

Glenn, born October 12, 1960

Vera S. Zimmerman, daughter of Levi and Katie Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born January 27, 1934, and married January 15, 1956 to Allen Burkholder. He was born February 19, 1933. Children are:

Ella Mae, born August 6, 1957

Mabel, born June 27, 1958

Earl, born June 7, 1959

Melvin, born September 10, 1960

Ella S. Zimmerman, daughter of Levi and Katie Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born May 25, 1936, and married December 16, 1957 to Reuben Z. Newswanger. He was born December 27, 1935. The children are:

Erla, born November 18, 1958

Leon, born February 6, 1960

Lester, born February 6, 1960

Raymond S. Zimmerman, son of Levi and Katie Zimmerman of the tenth generation, was born September 15, 1938, and married April 18, 1959, to Elizabeth Horst. She was born August 18, 1938. They have one child:

Marion, born January 25, 1960

Miriam S. Zimmerman, daughter of Levi and Katie Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born January 16, 1940 and married December 27, 1960, to Samuel J. Weaver. He was born September 24, 1939.

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Leah H. Zimmerman, daughter of Moses and Emma Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born January 3, 1917, and married January 13, 1938, to David K. Martin. He was born March 12, 1915. Leah died March 5, 1942. They had 3 children.

lren:

Nora, born November 21, 1938, page 265

Emma, page 265

Ivan, born May 19, 1941

Nora Z. Martin, daughter of David and Leah Martin, of the tenth generation, was born November 21, 1938, and married December 3, 1959 to John R., son of Weaver Martin. He was born March 30, 1938. They have one child:

Anna Mary, born April 21, 1961

Emma Z. Martin, daughter of David and Leah Martin, of the tenth generation, was born November 27, 1939, and married December 22, 1960, to Willis N., son of Samuel Burkholder. He was born July 7, 1940.

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H. Lynn Hess, the son of Harold A. and Eleanor (Snyder) Hess, of the eleventh generation, was born July 4, 1942, and married on November 22, 1961, to Thelma Jane Althouse.

Daniel H. Zimmerman, the son of Moses and Emma (Hess) Zimmerman, of the ninth generation, was born November 10, 1909, and married December 15, 1932, Minnie B. Nolt. She was born December 13, 1905. She was the daughter of Isaac Nolt. Their children were:

Enos N., born April 19, 1934, page 266

Adin, born June 4, 1935, page 267

Anna, born December 18, 1936, page 267

Leah, born December 18, 1936, page 267

Edna, born July 23, 1938, died April 11, 1941

Nora, born May 23, 1941

Lena, born January 14, 1942

Eli, born July 24, 1944

Enos N. Zimmerman, the son of Daniel and Minnie (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born April 19, 1934, and married October 25, 1956, to Hettie M. Wenger. She is the daughter of Walter Wenger and was born March 24, 1932.

Esther M., born April 23, 1961

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Adin N. Zimmerman, the son of Daniel and Minnie (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born June 4, 1935, and married November 21, 1957, to Lydia Z. Weaver. She is the daughter of Harry O. Weaver. Their children are:

Orvie W., born September 8, 1958

Allen W., born September 7, 1959
Elvin W., born March 14, 1961
Amos W., born and died October 30, 1962

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Anna N. Zimmerman, the daughter of Daniel and Minnie (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born December 18, 1936, and married November 28, 1957, to Amos Burkholder. He is the son of Joseph O. Burkholder. The children are:

Ephraim Z., born March 24, 1960
Susan Z., born July 26, 1961

Leah N. Zimmerman, the daughter of Daniel and Minnie (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born December 18, 1936, and married November 20, 1958, to Milton Brubacher. He is the son of Amos Brubacher. Their children are:

Anna Z., born April 26, 1960
Alta Z., born August 5, 1961
George, born December 28, 1962

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Ruth M. Hess, the daughter of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born February 18, 1906, and married August 18, 1928, to Harry Wolgemuth. He was born January 26, 1906. They are the parents of 4 children:

Harriet Ruth, born January 16, 1931, and died September 4, 1960
Carl, page 268
James, born August 6, 1940
Mary Ann, born January 4, 1943

Carl H. Wolgemuth, the son of Harry and Ruth (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born April 18, 1934, and married August 21, 1954, to Lois (Huber). She was born November 26, 1936. They have several children:

Thomas Eugene, born November 21, 1958
Andrew Karl, born October 17, 1961

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Titus M. Hess, the son of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born February 16, 1904, and married February 25, 1933, to Anna Mae Haldeman. She was born July 8, 1910. They have six children:

Allegra, born September 7, 1934
Omar, page 269

Robert, born December 1, 1937
Margaret, born December 15, 1939
Dorothy, born July 2, 1941
Elvin, born February 23, 1944

Omar H. Hess, the son of Titus and Anna Mae (Haldeman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born January 25, 1936, and married May 9, 1959, to Nancy H. Longenecker. She was born October 31, 1939. She is the daughter of Alvin Longenecker. Their children are:

Keith Brian, born February 16, 1961

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Miriam M. Hess, the daughter of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born January 12, 1920, and married June 3, 1943, to Lloyd Barton Stauffer. He was born March 15, 1923, and is the son of Martin M. Stauffer. They have 3 children:

Mary Louise, born April 26, 1944
Barbara Ann, born February 15, 1948
Susan Kay, born November 22, 1950

Edith M. Hess, the daughter of Abram and Caroline (Myer) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born January 20, 1917, and married January 19, 1952, to Barton Overly. No children.

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Abram M. Hess, the son of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born April 17, 1900, and married September 20, 1923, to Ruth S. Hollinger. She was born March 28, 1902, and is the daughter of Jonas R. Hollinger. They had 2 children:

Claude, page 271
Earl, page 271

Claude H. Hess, the son of Abram and Ruth (Hollinger) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born April 24, 1925, and married April 21, 1951, to Irene Mae Groff. She was born July 6, 1924 and is the daughter of Samuel L. Kilhefner. They are the parents of 2 children:

Linda Kay, born March 21, 1952
John Clair, born December 11, 1956

Earl H. Hess, the son of Abram and Ruth (Hollinger) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born June 16, 1928, and married September 2, 1951, to Anita Fay Swords. She was born March

19, 1931, and is the daughter of Willard Swords. They have 3 children:

Kenneth Earl, born August 27, 1953

Bonita Sue, born March 4, 1956

Carol Denise, born March 31, 1960

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Esther M. Hess, the daughter of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born May 25, 1898, and married September 20, 1923, to Herbert Wolgemuth. He was born August 4, 1901. Esther died February 2, 1951. They had six children:

Clyde, page 272

Galen, page 273

Paul, page 273

Anna, page 274

Vera, page 274

Lois, page 274

Clyde H. Wolgemuth, the son of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born July 27, 1924, and married August 19, 1944, to Mary Grace Longenecker. She was born November 10, 1924. Their children are:

Richard L., born June 29, 1945

Robert M., born November 30, 1946

Dale E., born January 8, 1949

Carol D., born May 13, 1951

Sharon L., born November 19, 1955

Dennis M., born July 8, 1961

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Galen H. Wolgemuth, the son of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born December 12, 1925, and married December 22, 1945, to June G. Patches. She was born June 14, 1924. Their children are:

Glenn E., born March 8, 1947

Jay H., born December 26, 1949

Marilyn F., born January 25, 1953

John H., born January 9, 1954

Lucinda K., born September 2, 1960

Gail M., born December 18, 1961

Paul H. Wolgemuth, the son of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born July 18, 1927, and married June 26, 1949, to Ruth Smeltz. She was born January 12, 1927. Their children are:

Lester, born June 17, 1950
Janet, born February 16, 1952
Jere, born May 2, 1956
Karen, born November 6, 1960

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Anna H. Wolgemuth, the daughter of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born February 18, 1930, and married August 5, 1950, to Robert Brandt. He was born March 17, 1927. Their children are:

Robert, born March 4, 1952
Sharon, born November 14, 1953
Steven, born January 19, 1957

Vera H. Wolgemuth, the daughter of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born November 10, 1936, and married February 15, 1958, to Becker Ginder. He was born October 11, 1929. Their children are:

Linda, born November 8, 1958
Lucy, born November 25, 1960

Lois H. Wolgemuth, the daughter of Herbert O. and Esther (Hess) Wolgemuth, of the tenth generation, was born June 30, 1938, and married August 5, 1956, to Jay Ginder. He was born January 25, 1937. Their children are:

Judy, born February 27, 1958
Shirley, born July 31, 1961

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Mary H. Martin, the daughter of Henry and Mary Ann (Hess) Martin, of the ninth generation, was born August 29, 1899, married April 2, 1918, to William McKinley Coble. He was born December 31, 1896. They had three children:

Martin John, page 275
Elsie Ray, page 276
William McKinley, page 276

Martin John Coble, the son of William and Mary (Martin) Coble, of the tenth generation, was born October 12, 1918, and married August 3, 1940, to Grace Marie Beam. They have one child:

Dixie Lynn, born March 4, 1947

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Elsie Ray Coble, the daughter of William and Mary (Martin) Coble, of the tenth generation, was born December 27,

1925, and married April 5, 1947, to Abner S. Stoltzfus. Their children are:

- Eldon Ray, born May 3, 1948
- Evanna Dawn, born February 3, 1953
- Joseph Brent, born January 13, 1955
- Tina Marie, born January 4, 1960
- Lisa Deanne, born August 24, 1961

William McKinley Coble, the son of William and Mary (Martin) Coble, of the tenth generation, was born May 26, 1936, and married November 15, 1953 to Shirley Mull. Their children are:

- Dianne Lynn, born July 10, 1954
- Kieth Lamar, born March 8, 1956
- William McKinley, born June 1, 1959

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Christian Martin, the son of Henry and Mary (Hess) Martin, of the ninth generation, was born December 7, 1893, and died January 31, 1954, and married Lizzie Felpel, on April 1, 1916. She was born March 20, 1898, and died March 24, 1952. Their children are:

- Ethel, page 278
- William, page 279
- Theodore, page 279
- Christian, page 280
- Henry, page 280
- Bertha, page 281
- George, page 281
- Elizabeth, page 282
- Violet, born March 29, 1932
- Alvin, page 282
- Melvin, page 283
- Rosella, page 283
- Curtis, page 284
- Sarah May, born January 11, 1942

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Ethel Martin, the daughter of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born October 10, 1916, and married to Paul Halligan. Their children are:

- Elma, page 284
- Warren, page 285
- Ray, page 285
- Marie, born July 9, 1944
- Lorraine, born July 15, 1945

Marvin, born June 23, 1948
Rhoda, born October 26, 1949
Marilyn, born January 10, 1951
Elaine, born February 9, 1955
Rheta, born January 28, 1957

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William Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born August 31, 1918, and married June 12, 1943, to Dorothy A. Frank. Their children are;

Ronald Lee, born January 31, 1946
Karen Elaine, born January 30, 1948
He remarried on July 12, 1958, to Trudy Rohl.

Theodore Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born September 30, 1920, and married December 6, 1941 to Ruth Good. They had three children:

Glenn G., born November 20, 1942
Ruth Ann, born August 3, 1945
Linda Sue, born June 14, 1949

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Christian Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born September 24, 1922, and married June 28, 1947, to Kathryn Virginia Mease. She was born October 16, 1927. They are the parents of one child:
Gary Nevin, born June 22, 1951

Henry Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, was born January 22, 1925, and married December 25, 1943, to Irene H. Zimmerman. Their children are:

Kenneth Lee, born July 22, 1944
Nancy Jane, born August 16, 1945
Clifford Lloyd, born February 2, 1948
Linda Mae, born May 1, 1949
Carolyn Kay, born May 15, 1954
Lois Jean, born June 24, 1958
Cynthia Ann, born September 8, 1959

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Bertha Martin, the daughter of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born March 9, 1926, and married May 24, 1947, to Horace Mengal Mast. They had three children:

Jay Lemar, born November 29, 1947

Roger Dale, born October 14, 1949

Sandra Ellen, born March 3, 1952

George Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born January 23, 1928, and married December 19, 1948, to Lucille Fronhuser. Their children are:

Dennis Lee, born June 2, 1949, died June 5, 1949

David Larry, born June 2, 1949

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Elizabeth Martin, the daughter of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin of the tenth generation, was born August 17, 1929 and married March 5, 1949 to D. Lloyd Clymer. He died December 14, 1958. The children are:

David Jr., born January 2, 1950

Martha Jean, born June 18, 1951

Mary June, born September 14, 1952

Dorcas Joy, born September 16, 1956

Alvin Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin of the tenth generation, was born September 16, 1933, and married June 14, 1952, to Elva Kilhefner Kreider. The children are:

Baby girl, born November 30, 1954, still born

Ruby Ann, born February 14, 1956

Bonnie Mae, born November 23, 1957

Melonie Joan, born October 28, 1959

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Melvin Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born January 16, 1935, and married to Miriam G. Good. Their children are:

Rose Miriam, born October 9, 1958

Melvin Lee, born July 11, 1961

Rosella Martin, the daughter of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born March 23, 1936, and married January 5, 1957, to Paul Clugston. Their three children are:

Phyllis Jean, born June 5, 1957

Jay Paul, born March 7, 1960

Joy Denise, born August 16, 1961

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Curtis Martin, the son of Christ and Lizzie (Felpel) Mar

n, of the tenth generation, was born March 20, 1938, and married January 4, 1957, to Dorothy Heillinger, They have two children:

James Curtis, born May 6, 1957

Tony Curtis, born November 19, 1959

Elma M. Halligan, the daughter of Paul and Ethel Halligan of the eleventh generation, was born May 25, 1936, and married Lloyd Deim, on October 2, 1954. They have one child:
Sharon Louise, born August 7, 1958

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Warren Halligan, the son of Paul and Ethel (Martin) Halligan, of the eleventh generation, was born July 6, 1938, and married June 23, 1956, to Naomi Becker. Children are:

Richard Dennis, born April 12, 1957

Jeffrey Lee, born October 29, 1958, and died March 15, 1959

Thomas Jay, born May 30, 1960

Ray Halligan, the son of Paul and Ethel (Martin) Halligan, of the eleventh generation, was born October 14, 1940, and married June 13, 1959, to Ruth Ann Reich. Children are:

Shirley Ann, born September 22, 1960

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Noah M. Hess, the son of Abram and Caroline (Myers) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born February 18, 1902, and married Laura B. Graybill, on August 22, 1925. She was born July 6, 1907. They are the parents of four children:

Clarence, see below

Verna, page 287

Alta, page 287

Marian Ruth, born December 23, 1948

Clarence G. Hess, the son of Noah and Laura (Graybill) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born February 21, 1927, and married Martha Krall, on July 20, 1947. She was born July 20, 1925. They have three children:

Ronald Roy, born June 15, 1948

Doris Jean, born April 30, 1952

Carl James, born November 21, 1955

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Verna G. Hess, the daughter of Noah and Laura (Graybill) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born February 8, 1930, and married Kenneth B. Edris, on March 24, 1951. He was born February 11, 1930, and died on June 20, 1956. They

were the parents of two children:

Linda Lou, born February 15, 1952

Steven Lynn, born April 1, 1956

Alta G. Hess, the daughter of Noah and Laura (Graybill) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born November 3, 1934 and married Mark Patches, on August 4, 1956. He was born April 5, 1934. Their children are:

Nancy Ann, born January 10, 1959

Sandra Ann, born December 11, 1960

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Milton M. Hess, the son of Abram and Caroline (Myer) Hess, of the ninth generation, was born August 22, 1896, and was married to Esther Eckman. She was born April 26, 1896. Their children are:

Ruth, page 289

Grace, page 290

Minerva, page 291

Paul, page 291

Helen, page 292

Esther, page 292

Pearl, born February 2, 1926, died 1944

Caroline, page 293

Milton, page 293

Belle, page 294

Betty, born March 7, 1937

Rosemarie, born November 17, 1938

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Ruth Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess was born July 3, 1917, of the tenth generation, and married Paul M. Snader. He was born June 17, 1915. They are the parents of nine children:

Carl, see below

Lois, born November 8, 1942

Marie, born June 29, 1944

Glenn, born December 26, 1945

Lester, born April 29, 1948

Ruth, born January 22, 1950

Esther, born May 3, 1951

Jere, born May 18, 1952

Paul, born July 12, 1954

Carl L. Snader, the son of Paul and Ruth (Hess) Snader, of the eleventh generation, was born March 27, 1941, and was married to Donna Fahnestock. She was born December 14,

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Grace E. Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born November 14, 1918, and was married to Arthur F. Landis. He was born May 8, 1919. Their children are:

Mary Jane, this page

Arthur Melvin, born January 21, 1944

Alvin F., born August 15, 1949

Mary Jane Landis, the daughter of Arthur and Grace (Hess) Landis, of the eleventh generation, was born August 3, 1939, and was married to Elvin Z. Martin. He was born October 2, 1933. They have one child:

David Stuart, born March 28, 1962

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Minerva Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born May 9, 1920, and married to J. Melvin Koser. He was born March 8, 1921. Their children are:

Jennie, born October 22, 1942

Kenneth, born October 25, 1945

J. Melvin, born December 22, 1946

Jesse, born October 3, 1950

Phoebe, born September 15, 1955

Steven, born April 16, 1959

Paul E. Hess, the son of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born August 14, 1921, and was married to Rhoda Wolgemuth. She was born June 18, 1922. Their children are:

John, born September 21, 1943

J. Ronald, born September 23, 1946

Pearl, born November 24, 1947

Roy, born February 23, 1949

James, born November 14, 1950

Marion, born July 2, 1952

Robert, born January 22, 1954

Anna, born July 28, 1956

Paul, born January 23, 1958

Barry, born July 30, 1959

Larry, born July 30, 1959

Dawn, born February 26, 1962

Helen Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born April 14, 1923, and was married to Warren Diffenderfer. He was born December 23, 1922. Their children are:

- Elsie, born March 8, 1945
- Naomi, born December 29, 1942
- Anna, born February 10, 1951
- Mark, born January 13, 1956
- David, born May 27, 1959
- Bernice, born March 5, 1961

Esther Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born October 29, 1924, and married to Marvin B. Stoltzfus. He was born December 26, 1923. Their children are:

- M. Eugene, born October 23, 1947
- Gary L., born December 13, 1949
- Joyce A., born May 5, 1953
- Betty J., born March 7, 1955
- Kay L., born May 9, 1961

Caroline Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born April 6, 1929, and was married to LeRoy A. Patches. He was born September 16, 1930. Their children are:

- Janice E., born October 18, 1951
- Martha L., born March 22, 1953
- Barbara A., born May 16, 1954
- Dale L., born November 21, 1956
- Doris J., born April 5, 1958

Milton E. Hess, the son of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born July 27, 1932, and was married to Luetta Z. They have one child:

- Timothy S., born July 24, 1961

Belle Hess, the daughter of Milton and Esther (Eckman) Hess, of the tenth generation, was born July 8, 1935, and was married to Wilbur Gainer. He was born October 31, 1935. Their children are:

- Beverly S., born March 11, 1958
- Jay W., born August 12, 1960

John H. Martin, the son of Henry and Mary Ann (Hess) Martin, of the ninth generation, was born January 14, 1903, and died November 7, 1951. He married Hattie Evan, on December 25, 1928. She was born September 24, 1904. They had four children:

John E., page 295

Eli E., page 295

Charles, page 295

Rosella E., born May 20, 1935, lived a few days

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John E. Martin, the son of John and Hattie (Evan) Martin, was born August 28, 1929, and married Josephine Burkhart, on December 14, 1958. She was born March 24, 1935. They are the parents of one child:

Michael Lee, born July 8, 1960

Eli E., Martin, the son of John and Hattie (Evan) Martin, was born September 6, 1931, and married Fern L. Sweigart, on November 22, 1951. She was born April 4, 1933. Their children are:

Tony G., born January 6, 1955

Judy A., born October 14, 1952

Charles E. Martin, the son of John and Hattie (Evan) Martin, of the tenth generation, was born March 31, 1933, and married Dorothy M. Cochran, on January 1, 1955. She was born February 13, 1926.

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Susanna H. Martin, the daughter of Henry and Mary Ann (Hess) Martin, of the ninth generation, was born September 10, 1895, and married Grant G. Smith, on October 4, 1917. He was born October 9, 1897. They are the parents of six children:

Mildred Mae, page 297

Albert George, born and died December 11, 1920

Robert E., page 298

Grant Calvin, page 298

Evelyn Irene, page 299

W. Merle, page 299

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Mildred Mae Smith, the daughter of Grant and Susanna (Martin) Smith, of the tenth generation was born July 29, 1918, and married Charles L. Kreider, on October 1, 1938. He was born April 19, 1920. Their children are:

Rosene Kay, this page

Gloria Jean, page 298

Joyce Eileen, born December 6, 1944

Clair Ray, born March 26, 1949

Clyde Jay, born March 26, 1949

Rosene Kay Kreider, the daughter of Charles and Mildred (Smith) Kreider, of the eleventh generation, was born May 30, 1940, and married July 23, 1960, to Edward Nevin Steffy. He was born December 17, 1939.

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Gloria Jean Kreider, the daughter of Charles and Mildred (Smith) Kreider, of the eleventh generation, was born July 19, 1941, and married February 17, 1962, to Donald Jacob Hollinger. He was born March 11, 1941.

Robert E. Smith, the son of Grant and Susanna (Martin) Smith, of the tenth generation, was born February 19, 1923, and married August 22, 1942, to Alice S. Singer. She was born March 9, 1920. Their children are:

Linda Sue, born August 22, 1946

Robert Earl, born September 21, 1947

David Lee, born April 22, 1951

Grant Calvin Smith, the son of Grant and Susanna (Martin) Smith, of the tenth generation, was born March 9, 1926, and married June 1, 1947, to Irene Eva Hatt. She was born February 7, 1929. Their children are:

Gail Louise, born October 2, 1947

Jane Irene, born October 2, 1948

Kaye Marie, born October 16, 1949

Cynthia Ann, born November 6, 1953

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Evelyn Irene Smith, the daughter of Grant and Susanna (Martin) Smith, of the tenth generation, was born October 19, 1925, and married May 5, 1949, to H. Jacob Hooper. He was born December 31, 1928. Their children are:

Darrell Jay, born March 30, 1951

Kathleen Sue, born March 12, 1953

Brenda Ann, born February 1, 1957

W. Merle Smith, the son of Grant and Susanna (Martin) Smith, of the tenth generation, was born April 1, 1931, and married June 26, 1955, to Betty Jane Buchen. She was born October 21, 1930.

David N. Zimmerman, the son of Noah and Esther (Nolt) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born July 10, 1941, and married October 19, 1961, to Emma S. Hoover. She is the daughter of Levi and Edna Hoover, and was born January 1, 1941. They have one child:

Edna H., born November 19, 1962

Elmer S. Zimmerman, the son of Moses and Lizzie (Shirk) Zimmerman, of the tenth generation, was born December 13, 1941, and married November 8, 1962, to Emma N. Zimmerman. She is the daughter of John Zimmerman and was born November 8, 1941.

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